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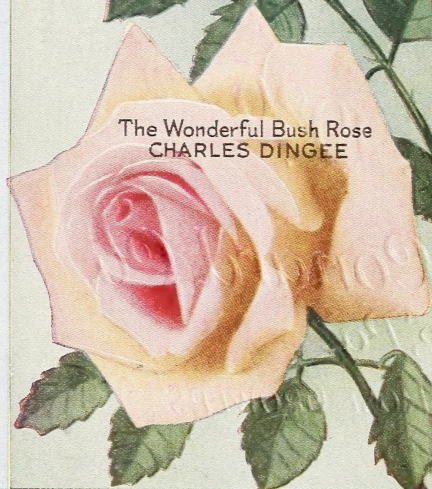
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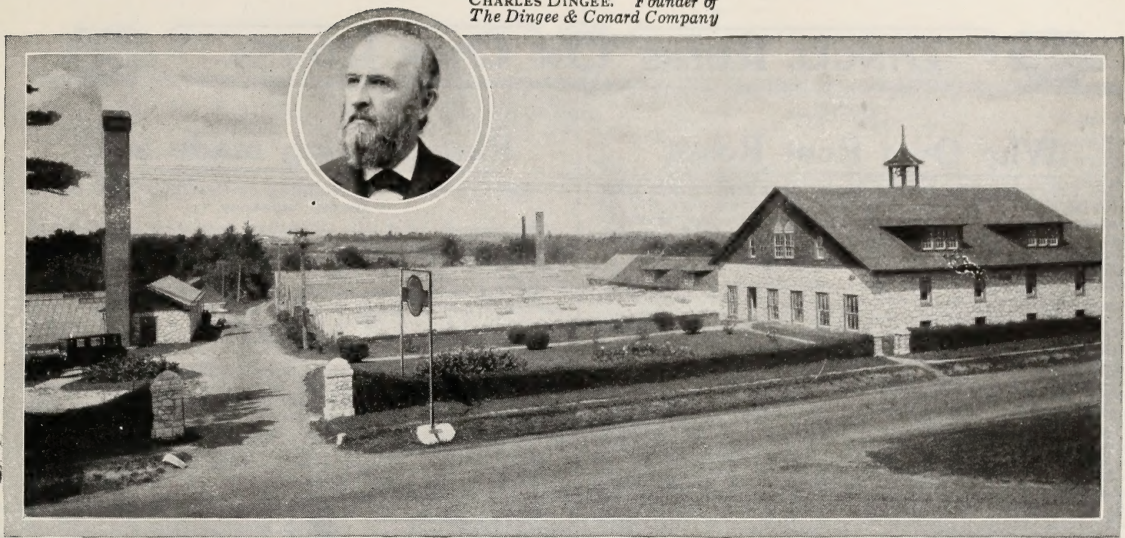


The Wonderful Bush Rose
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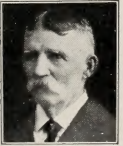
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There are few, very few homes in America—from the great imposing estates to the wee bits of a place with just a wee patch of a yard—but where, on a fine summer's day you will see the glory of roses—the Queen of Flowers, brightening the drabest city yard.

Roses . . . everywhere.

This was the vision which Charles Dingee saw 76 years ago when he established the Harmony Grove Nursery here at West Grove, Penna., soon after which Mr. Dingee organized the present company, The Dingee & Conard Company. He knew the love that every one of us has for flowers—especially roses.

This vision has grown to the present business of selling own-root roses by mail—virtually the beginning of the rose-growing industry of America. Here, on this identical location, the first own-root roses were grown for mail-order business. Here, continuously throughout 76 years, this business has remained under the control of the same family. Not only in ownership, but under the guidance of men, many of whom are now completing almost 50 years of service in the interest of better roses. We are glad to introduce some of them who are still active in the service of The Dingee & Conard Company.

These men and the present management have held fast to the ideals of the founder—not only to make it possible for people everywhere to have roses—but better roses. In the extensive list gathered from all parts of the world you will find all that is best, grown by these experts of The Dingee & Conard Company.

The wealth of knowledge gained by these men is invaluable. It is directly responsible for the reputation that Dingee Roses have, not only in America, but throughout the world where they go and grow. There are Dingee customers in every county of every state in the American Union and in every other civilized nation of the earth. The development of roses under Dingee experts makes it possible for even the greenest amateur to grow them successfully.

Some time we hope you will come to West Grove. We believe you will be interested in the historic spot where rose-growing for commerce had its beginning—in the modern facilities for the most expert growing of roses—and especially in the roses themselves, a wonderful riot of gorgeous blooms that will make the day happy for any "subject of the Queen." Most anyone within a radius of one hundred miles can tell you how to reach us on Route 12, midway between Philadelphia and Baltimore.

DINGEE ROSES
On Own Roots
THE DINGEE & CONARD CO., West Grove, Pa.



Why Own Root Roses

We have been going and growing for more than seventy years. Growing roses so that they will grow almost anywhere and for almost anybody, and grown on their **Own Roots** as they should be grown for permanent use. So grown they do not go wild or in other words revert back to the wild root upon which they are budded, and in a short time they are nothing but wild shrubs of no use whatever. Very few firms offer own root roses because they are more expensive to produce and they do not have the equipment to grow them. It has taken us years to acquire such an equipment, and with only one thought i. e.: to grow own root Roses because we more firmly than ever believe that they are the best for our climate, so until now it is true that Dingee & Conard Roses go and grow in almost every land.

The budding is usually done on wild *Mannettia* Rose stalks by taking a bud from the original plant and inserting it under the bark of the *Manettia* and binding it thereon, as in Illustration No. 5. The first year the budded Rose makes a rapid, soft growth, probably producing some blooms, but the second year the wild root begins to assert itself and grows with tremendous vigor, throwing out wild shoots from the roots, thus sapping the life from the top which usually dies, as in illustration No. 4. Note the shoot from the side with the foliage thereon, which is the wild Rose that will not bloom, nor is it ornamental; this is an actual photograph of a two-year budded Rose.

Anyone who wants Roses and not wild shrubbery should buy only the best, or Roses grown on Their Own Roots. Such are the Dingee Roses, known the world over. We sometimes wonder why these budded Roses are offered by some firms; selling them to an unknown and unsuspecting public, but, as Barnum said "American people like to be humbugged." We are content to adhere to the principles laid down by the founder of this business, who, notwithstanding the many ridiculous claims put forth by men who were yet unborn when Mr. Dingee was active in the business of producing Own Root Roses, now claim to have invented this method of production.

An own-root plant is started by taking a portion of a branch from the mother plant and putting in sand until the roots are formed at the bottom, as illustrated in No. 1. This is what is known as a rooted cutting. Note how the fibrous roots are formed. In illustration No. 2 we have a first size own root plant grown in pots. No. 3 illustrates a two-year-old plant grown in a four or five-inch pot. Note the fibrous roots, which soon establish themselves in the soil after planting; also how each shoot or branch is crowned with a bud; how these branches are formed and how the increase in size is made up by making new shoots. Compare this photograph with the one of the budded plant (No. 4) and note how different. A budded plant cannot increase in size unless the increase is made on the weak budded branch and then very seldom, but Own Root Roses increase in size each year, unless destroyed, and are permanent, producing finer and better blooms each season. They are the only Roses suitable for the varying climatic conditions of our country, and we cannot emphasize too strongly the importance of knowing the kind of plants you are getting before placing an order for them. What a success these own root roses have been are told by a few of the many testimonials we receive each year unsolicited from many thousands of satisfied customers, and published elsewhere in this book.

Rose-growing made easy

Don't Bother With Budding or Grafting—Briar is Always Nuisance

The common belief that all modern roses must be budded or grafted to secure permanent trees is not accurate, says "Answers." Roses growing on their own roots will give results equal to any produced on briars.

Growing budded roses is a source of endless trouble to many novices. The briar grows up and the grower, not knowing it from the real rose growth, allows it full scope. In a year or two the briar has asserted itself, takes full control, and nothing but dog-roses are produced.

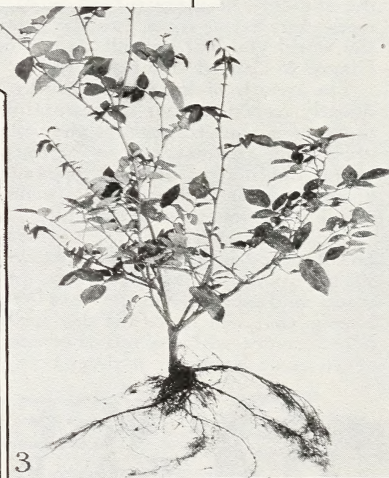
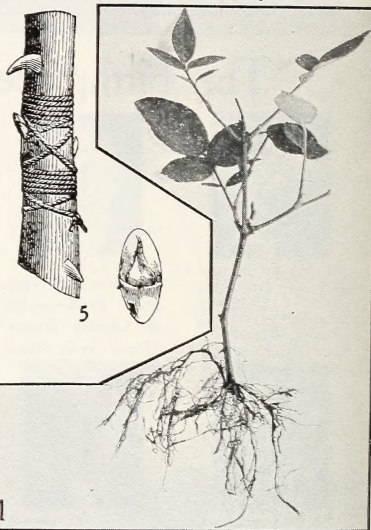
With roses on their own roots, there is never any of this trouble. Should the bush be cut down by frost at any time and the roots not harmed, real rosewood is again produced in the spring. On the other hand, many amateurs have set out to plant a rosebush and secured the best of budded stocks, but in a year or two have had only briars for their trouble.

With a budded rose you may get more vigorous growth, and probably a more robust bloom, but give a rose, growing on its own roots, liberal treatment and it will come in first every time.

The gardener who sets out to grow roses on their own roots simplifies his work. All dwarf roses, ramblers, and climbers may be treated in this way. But should a standard or a Tree Rose be desired it will be necessary to have a briar to suit the purpose.

The best growths are those which are on the outside of the bushes. Shoots which are not showing any bloom should be selected. These should then be severed from the parent plant, with a good portion of the old bark attached. The "heel" should be trimmed a little with a sharp knife, and lower leaves removed.

From The Evening Bulletin Philadelphia, Sept. 12, 1925





How to Grow "Dingee Roses"

All Dingee Roses are propagated under such favorable conditions that our shibboleth, "Dingee Roses Go and Grow Everywhere," is literally true; but common sense tells us that certain kinds of Roses thrive better in some localities than in others. We have tried to indicate as nearly as possible, in connection with the different classes of Roses, the section of the country in which each will thrive to its full perfection with the least amount of protection.

Preparation of Beds

The way to get the best results from Roses when planted in beds is to make a trench to a depth of 15 to 18 inches, that is, the soil should be removed to that depth, well pulverized and mixed with from one-third to one-fourth its bulk with well-rotted animal manure, cow stable manure preferable where it can be obtained. Before filling in the bed it is well to put in some material for drainage, such as soft coal cinders, broken crockery or stones, not too large. Then return the soil to the trench, and when returned it should stand from 3 to 4 inches higher than the surrounding ground, as it will quickly settle below the surface. It is necessary to do this in order that rainwater will drain quickly away from the bed. If, however, the soil you remove from the trench is not the best Rose soil, as the best kind of soil for Roses is a clayey loam; if your soil does not contain this, it can be improved by mixing in sods from the roadside or fields; but if your soil is too heavy, it should be lightened with a portion of sand. The selection of your bed is a very important matter. Roses thrive best where they can secure all the sun possible; that is, do not plant them close to trees or shrubbery, as the roots of these extend farther than the branches. Select, if possible, an open situation, where the plants will receive plenty of air and sunshine. A southeastern exposure is an ideal one. They will, however, do well in other locations, if given the necessary care. Roses do better if they are watered in the morning.

Fertilizer

This is a question we are frequently requested to answer. Cow manure is generally preferred, and can be used in fresh condition. Horse manure when new is very heating and should not be used while in this condition, except as a winter mulch. Hog, sheep and chicken manure are also very helpful. The last two, however, should be used sparingly. Ground bone is beneficial, but should be secured as fine as possible, and it should be used sparingly. The best method is sprinkling a portion over the bed until the ground is entirely covered, then with the use of a fork it can be dug into the soil and thoroughly mixed. Air slaked lime is also beneficial, about a cupful to a plant scattered on the surface in early spring and midsummer. A mulching of cow stable manure is very beneficial during the growing season. It helps to retain the moisture during the dry season, as well as a food for the roots.

Planting

As soon as the plants are received it is best to immediately plant, yet if it is impossible to do this the plant should be placed in a cellar or moderately warm place and protected from the sun. Set them upright

to admit the free circulation of air. When you receive them they will be wrapped in Sphagnum Moss, which should be removed before planting, as it is used only for protection. Water freely from time to time. The roots should be covered with soil or burlap and never allowed to become dry. Soaking the roots in lukewarm water or thin mud for an hour or two before planting to restore their vitality is beneficial. Do not set the plants too shallow. They should be planted deeper than they were growing in the pots before shipping. This can easily be determined by an examination of the plant. If you receive them with the soil on the roots in which they have been growing, do not remove this soil. Give them as near a natural position as possible. Use plenty of water after planting and shade for a few days, if the sun is hot, with newspaper or similar material, and if the season is a dry one an occasional watering will be beneficial. The best time to plant Roses such as we send out, being pot-grown, own-root stock, is in early spring. This refers entirely to pot-grown plants and not dormant plants. By dormant plants we mean field-grown; that is, lifted from the field and have not made any growth whatever. Such plants as these should be set out earlier than pot-grown plants.

Pruning

As a rule, the Roses that we send out do not need any pruning, being pot-grown plants. However, if the bushes are more spreading than is desired, it does not injure the plant any to prune it back. This applies only to the pot-grown plants. Pruning can be done at any season of the year with a certain class of Roses, but it is a matter to be governed by the judgment of the possessor of the plants. The best time for pruning is early spring, just before they begin to break at the eyes. Then it is well to trim Roses back to about one-third to one-half the season's growth. The larger and heavier the growth the more it should be trimmed.

Winter Protection

The protection necessary to keep Roses safely through the winter months depends entirely upon the character of the plant and the location. For such Roses as the Hybrid Perpetuals, Rugosas, Harrison's Yellow, etc., very little protection, if any, is necessary in any climate, yet it is beneficial in the cold latitudes of the North to give them protection of straw horse stable manure after the first hard freeze. The soil itself is a good protection. When protecting the Teas and Hybrid Teas it is a good plan to mound the earth about each plant, or use clean sand about six inches deep, then fill in between the mounds with straw stable manure, the coarser the better. The uncovered tops may be tied up with straw or burlap. This protection should be gradually removed in March in the latitude of Philadelphia, or as soon as all danger of hard freezing is over. The tender Roses may also be wintered in boxes or pots of soil in a cool cellar or heeled in (the earth itself). Where you have a dirt floor two or three waterings will be required during the winter, just sufficient to prevent drying out.

Diseases and Insects

MILDEW—This disease very frequently attacks the foliage of Roses, especially the Crimson Rambler. It is shown by a grayish crinkling appearance of the leaves and usually occurs after a change in the temperature.



DINGEE ROSES ON OWN ROOTS.



It can be checked to a certain extent by sprinkling the leaves with powdered sulphur immediately after its appearance. If, however, this does not check it, dissolve one ounce of potassium sulphuret in two gallons of cold water and apply as a fine spray.

GREEN FLY OR APHIS—A green sucking insect which usually gathers in great numbers upon the tips of the new growth. A solution of tobacco made from tobacco insecticide soap, which you will find offered elsewhere in this book, will exterminate them.

The Rose Bug is a familiar insect, appears in the earliest summer, sometimes in great quantities, and is very troublesome. It is a very destructive insect and usually feeds upon the white petals, but is easily destroyed by the use of **BEETOL SPRAY**—A new discovery for rose bugs said to be very good. Offered elsewhere.

BLACK SPOT—A fungous disease, appearing as its name indicates as a black spot upon the leaf, eventually turning yellow and falling. It rarely occurs in the early part of the season and the Teas are almost but not

quite exempt from its ravages. The best preventive if your bushes have been troubled with it in the past is spraying in April with Bordeaux Mixture before the foliage has developed and not while the flowers are in bloom, because of the discoloration of the foliage.

HARDINESS—Hardiness in a Rose is a matter of which no one can speak with positive certainty, because the condition of the weather, as a rule, prescribes the hardiness of a plant, as quite frequently plants that have been out year after year will be winter-killed by unusual conditions.

FOR GROWING ROSES FOR CUT FLOWERS—In greenhouses, such as Columbia, Premier, Killarneys, American Beauty, Bride, Bridesmaid Milady, Ophelia, My Maryland, Lady Hillingdon, Sunburst, Kaiserin Augusta Victoria. For outdoor growing for cut-flower purposes none is better adapted for this than the Coquets and Charles Dingee.

FOR CEMETERIES—The Souperets, Baby Ramblers and Memorial or Wichuraiana.

The Dingee & Conard Co.,

West Grove, Penna.

Gentlemen:

In the spring of 1921 I ordered four Rose bushes of you and four from each of two other firms. You were slow in shipping so additional orders that year were sent to another firm who represented Roses they supplied were on their own roots. Candidly, your bushes seemed much smaller and they did not seem to take hold as quickly as the others; neither did they make as good growth that first year, so that the following spring order was sent to your competitor.

By the end of the second summer I decided that the bushes received of you were really superior to the others which by this time had begun to look rather unhappy although all were living. Bushes bought of you had become thrifty and vigorous as if they had finally decided to settle down content to live in my garden and grow on and on.

That fall with a bulb order sent the other firm I included a Climbing American Beauty which was a budded or grafted plant.

Last year I bought no additional Roses thinking to watch those I had and decide which were really the best. Several bushes sent up a thrifty growth which I later learned was from the root upon which they were budded. I dug these up, cut off all the wild growth and re-set the plants to a greater depth. Some of them promptly died while others appeared to recover and blossomed in the fall. Probably all of these bushes are not budded but—all were bought for own root plants. I have decided that while budded or grafted bushes may be O. K. in the hands of an experienced gardener, for an amateur—one who has but a limited amount of time to devote to a garden and wishes to derive some pleasure and satisfaction therefrom—the own root Roses are the only ones of any value.

Yours Sincerely,

MRS. H. H. WHITEHEAD, Rhode Island.

TERMS, GUARANTEE AND HOW WE SHIP

TERMS

Our terms are cash with order, except where satisfactory bank reference is given, when we will gladly open an account. Goods will be shipped C. O. D., if one-half of amount is remitted with order. Money may be sent at our risk by Post Office Order, Express Money Order, Personal Check, Bank Draft, Money (not stamps) in Registered Letter. We will be responsible for the safe carriage of money sent us by any of these ways, and, if lost, we will give full value. Stamps accepted for amounts less than \$1.00. Canadian customers can remit by International Money Order on West Grove, Bank Draft, or currency in Registered Letter. Canadian postage stamps have no value here.

OUR GUARANTEE

We guarantee that our goods must reach their destination in good satisfactory condition, to you, or they will be duplicated or money refunded. You will not find many guarantees that cover the situation as briefly and as concisely as this. You run absolutely no risk.

WE GIVE, HOWEVER, NO WARRANTY, express or implied, as to any description, quality, productiveness or any other matter of any seeds, bulbs or plants we send out, and we will not be in any way responsible for the crop. If the purchaser does not accept the goods on these terms, they are at once to be returned.

COMPLAINTS—When the goods reach you, if there is any complaint it must be made within ten days, otherwise we cannot entertain it.

HOW WE SHIP

The first size Roses and other plants such as Geraniums, Chrysanthemums, etc., are sent by parcel post prepaid at the prices quoted, soil removed from roots and wrapped in wax paper and damp moss, unless you desire soil left on the roots, when we make an additional charge of 15c per plant on 12 plants or more and

2c per plant on less than 12 plants, to send by parcel post, or we will send by express at your expense without additional charge. The 2- and 3-year-old Roses and shrubs are sent by express at your expense, unless you desire to have them sent by parcel post with soil on their roots the same as if they were sent by Express. We can send 50 pounds to the first and second zones and 20 pounds to the other zones. The charge is 5c per plant up to and including the 4th zone; 10c per plant to the 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th zones. One-half this amount if you wish them sent without the soil, but we assume no responsibility of their condition.

INSTRUCTIONS FOR ORDERING

PLEASE OBSERVE CAREFULLY—When ordering, please use the order sheet provided for that purpose whenever possible. Simply fill up the blanks giving the number and name of the varieties wanted, with size and price; we will understand.

ORDER EARLY—Many of our customers order early, and the plants are set aside; the earlier you order the better. We will book for delivery whenever you direct, or at the time we consider proper to plant such stock ordered.

PARCEL POST C. O. D.—If you desire your order, no matter how small, sent C. O. D. by parcel post we can do so at an additional cost of only 10 cents, and the small fee for the money order, making it much cheaper than by express, as you have no express charges and additional charge for returning money.

CANADIAN CUSTOMERS—Canadian laws permit sending Roses or Shrubs into Canada at any time, but a permit must be secured from the Secretary of the Destructive Insect and Pest Advisory Board, Department of Agriculture, Ottawa. Owing to the rate of postage on Canadian orders we must request an additional 20 per cent to cover postage.

FOREIGN ORDERS—Twenty per cent extra should be added to orders going outside of United States proper to pay extra cost of packing and postage. To countries with which we have a parcel post, goods can be sent by mail.



Complete Index of Roses Offered

The demand for two-year-old Roses has reached enormous proportions, for the reason that they make a fine appearance and yield an abundance of splendid flowers at once. Our two-year-old Roses are all pot-grown. We guarantee safe delivery of all goods to any post office or express office in the United States.

On this and the three pages following we give a complete alphabetical list of all the Roses offered in this book, showing the class to which they belong, the page on which they are described, and the price of each.

Abbreviations Used: Tea, Everblooming Teas; H. T., Hybrid Teas; B. C., Bourbon, Bengal and China; H. P., Hardy Hybrid Perpetuals; C. T., Climbing Teas; C. N., Climbing Noisette; H. C., Hardy Climbing; M., Moss; T. P., Tea Polyantha; P., Polyantha, or Fairy; Rug., Rugosa; W., Wichuraiana, or Memorial; Rug., Hybrid Rugosa; C. H. T., Climbing Hybrid Teas; N., Noisette.

Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page	Varieties	Class	1st size Cents	2-year Cents	Page
Agnes Emily Carman.....R.		25	1 10	30	Climb. Mad. Jules Gro-		30	85	41	Francois Levet.....H. P.		30	85	31
Agrippina.....B. C.		25	75	30	lez.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	Frank W. Dunlop.....H. T.		36	85	23
Alberic Barbier.....H. C.		25	75	36	Climbing Marie Guillot.....C. T.		25	75	42	Frau Karl Druschki.....H. P.		35	1 00	34
Allex. Hill Gray.....Tea		25	75	25	Climbing Meteor.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	Friedrich Von Marschall.....T.		25	75	26
Allister Stella Gray.....C. T.		25	75	42	Climb. Mrs. Geo. Shawyer.....H. T.		50	1 50	40	F. R. Patzer.....H. T.		30	85	18
Amelia Gude.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Climb. My Maryland.....C. H. T.		50	1 50	40	Gainsborough.....H. C.		25	75	37
America.....H. T.		50	1 50	10	Climb. Ophelia.....C. H. T.		50	1 50	41	Gardenia.....W. T.		20	65	41
American Beauty.....H. T.		35	1 00	34	Climb. Papa Gontier.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	General Arnold Jansen.....H. T.		30	85	24
American Legion.....H. T.		35	90	13	Climbing Pink Maman					General De Tartas.....T.		25	75	27
American Pillar.....H. C.		25	75	39	Cochet.....C. H. T.		30	85	40	General Jacquemont.....H. P.		30	85	31
Angelus.....H. T.		50	1 50	14	Climb. Sunburst.....C. H. T.		50	1 25	41	General McArthur.....H. T.		30	85	18
Anna de Diesbach.....H. P.		30	85	31	Clim. Virginia R. Cox.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	George Ahrends.....H. P.		35	1 00	34
Annie Laurie.....H. T.		50	1 25	14	Climbing White Kil-					George Elger.....P.		25	75	28
Anny Muller.....P.		25	75	28	larney.....C. H. T.		30	85	40	George Dickson.....H. P.		30	85	33
Antonie Revoire.....H. T.		30	85	23	Clim. W. Maman Cochet.....C. T.		25	75	42	Giant of Battles.....H. P.		30	85	33
Antonie Verdier.....H. T.		30	85	17	Climbing White Pet.....H. C.		25	75	37	Gladys Holland.....H. T.		30	85	19
Appoline.....B. C.		25	75	30	Climbing Wootton.....C. H. T.		30	85	40	Gloire de Dijon.....C. T.		25	75	42
Archduke Charles.....B. C.		25	75	30	Clio.....H. P.		30	85	31	Gloire de Margottin.....H. P.		30	85	31
Augustine Guinoisseau.....H. T.		30	85	20	Clotilde Soupert.....P.		25	75	28	Gloire Lyonnaise.....H. P.		30	85	32
Aunt Harriet.....H. C.		25	75	38	Cloth of Gold.....C. T.		25	75	42	Golden Emblem.....Per.		2 50	12	
Aurora.....H. T.		30	85	21	Columbia.....H. T.		35	90	11	Golden Gate.....T.		25	75	27
Aviateur Bleriot.....H. C.		25	75	37	Col. Oswald Fitzgerald.....H. T.		50	1 50	13	Golden Ophelia.....H. T.		35	90	13
Avoca.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Col. R. S. Williamson.....H. T.		30	85	21	Goldfinch.....H. C.		25	75	38
Baby Doll.....P.		25	75	29	Commonwealth.....H. T.		40	1 25	17	Gold of Ophir.....C. T.		25	75	42
Baby Tausendschon.....P.		25	75	28	Count D. Cassagne.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Gorgeous.....H. T.		40	1 25	24
Baltimore Bell.....H. C.		25	75	42	Conrad Ferd. Meyer.....Rug.		25	75	30	Green Rose.....B. C.		25	75	29
Beau Carmine.....B. C.		25	75	30	Cornelia Cook.....T.		25	75	27	Greenville.....H. C.		25	75	39
Bess Lovett.....H. C.		30	85	35	Couquette de Lyon.....T.		25	75	26	Gross au Auchen.....P.		25	75	28
Bessie Brown.....H. T.		30	85	17	Coquette des Alps.....H. P.		30	85	32	Gross au Teplitz.....H. T.		30	85	24
Betty.....H. T.		30	85	18	Coquette des Blanches.....H. P.		30	85	31	Hadley.....H. T.		30	85	21
Birdie Blye.....H. C.		25	75	38	Cramoisi Superior.....B. C.		25	75	30	Harry Kirk.....H. T.		50	1 00	20
Black Prince.....H. P.		30	85	33	Crimson Champion.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Harrison's Yellow Rose.....T.		25	75	28
Blanche Moreau.....M.		25	75	29	Crimson Maman Cochet.....H. T.		30	85	58	H. D. M. Barton.....H. T.		30	85	17
Blue Rose.....H. C.		25	75	36	Crimson Queen.....H. T.		30	85	21	Heinrich Munch.....H. P.		30	85	33
Blumenschmidt.....Tea		25	75	27	Crimson Rambler.....H. C.		25	75	38	Helen Cambier.....H. T.		30	85	20
Bon Silene.....Tea		25	75	25	Crusader.....H. T.		40	1 00	17	Helen Good.....T.		25	75	27
Bougere.....Tea		25	75	26	Dean Hole.....H. T.		30	85	21	Helen Gould.....H. T.		30	85	58
Boule de Nieve.....H. P.		30	85	31	Debutante.....W. T.		20	65	41	Henri Martin.....M.		25	75	29
Bourbon Queen.....B. C.		25	75	30	Deviensensis.....T.		25	75	27	Hermose.....B. C.		25	75	30
Bridesmaid.....Tea		25	75	27	Dinsmore.....H. P.		30	85	33	Hiawatha.....H. C.		25	75	39
British Queen.....H. T.		30	85	18	Dorothy Page Roberts.....H. T.		50	2 50	14	Hooisier Beauty.....H. T.		30	85	18
Burbank.....Tea		25	75	25	Dorothy Perkins.....H. C.		25	75	39	Hugh Dickson.....H. P.		30	85	31
Candeur Lyonnaise.....H. P.		30	1 50	33	Doub. White Baby Rambler.....P.		25	75	28	Ideal.....P.		35	1 00	28
Captain Christy.....H. P.		30	85	32	Douglas.....B. C.		25	75	30	Imp. Universal Favorite.....W. T.		20	65	41
Captain Hayward.....H. P.		30	85	31	Dr. Van Fleet.....H. C.		25	75	38	Isabella Sprunt.....T.		25	75	26
Capt. Kilbee Stuart.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Dr. Robert Huey.....H. C.		25	75	36	Ivory.....T.		25	75	25
Catherine Mermet.....Tea		25	75	26	Duchess of Albany.....H. T.		30	85	20	James Sprunt.....C. T.		25	75	42
Champion of the World.....B. C.		25	75	30	Duchess de Brabant.....T.		25	75	26	J. B. Clark.....H. P.		30	85	32
Charles Dingee.....Tea		30	75	58	Duchess of Wellington.....H. T.		35	1 00	16	Jean Libaud.....H. P.		30	85	33
Chatillon.....P.		30	1 00	28	Duke of Edinburgh.....H. P.		30	85	31	Jersey Beauty.....W. T.		20	65	41
Chas. K. Douglass.....H. T.		50	1 50	10	Earl of Dufferin.....H. P.		30	85	33	Jessie.....P.		25	75	28
Cherokee.....T.		25	85	28	Earl Haig.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	John Hopper.....H. P.		30	85	33
Chrissie McKeller.....H. T.		30	85	21	Ecarlate.....H. T.		30	85	23	Jonkheer J. L. Mock.....H. T.		30	85	19
Christine Wright.....H. C.		25	75	37	Edgar M. Burnett.....H. T.		30	85	21	Josephine Vestal.....H. T.		50	1 50	14
Chromatella.....C. T.		25	75	42	Edith Cavell.....P.		25	75	28	Jubilee.....H. P.		30	85	33
City of Little Rock.....H. T.		35	1 00	16	Edw. Bohane.....H. T.		50	1 50	12	Kaiserin Augusta				
Clara Watson.....H. T.		30	85	18	Edward Mawley.....H. T.		30	85	21	Victoria.....H. T.		30	85	20
Climbing Amer. Beauty.....H. C.		30	85	35	Ellen Poulson.....P.		25	75	28	Keystone.....H. C.		25	75	37
Climbing Bridesmaid.....C. T.		25	75	42	Elizabeth Rowe.....M.		25	75	29	Killarney Brilliant.....H. T.		30	85	23
Climb. Cecile Brunner.....C. T.		25	75	42	Elsie Beckwith.....H. T.		50	1 50	15	Killarney Pink.....H. T.		30	85	20
Climb. Clotilde Soupert.....C. T.		30	85	40	Empress of China.....H. C.		25	75	39	Konigan Karola.....H. T.		40	1 00	21
Climb. Col. R. S. Wil-					Empress of India.....H. P.		30	85	33	Kootenay.....H. T.		35	1 00	12
liamson.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	Enfant de Lyon.....T.		25	75	26	Lady Alice Stanley.....H. T.		35	90	13
Climb. Columbia.....C. H. T.		50	1 50	15	Etoile de France.....H. T.		30	85	17	Lady Ashtown.....H. T.		30	85	19
Climbing Crimson Baby					Etoile de Lyon.....T.		25	75	26	Lady Gay.....H. C.		25	75	37
Rambler.....H. C.		30	85	40	Eugene Furst.....H. P.		30	85	33	Lady Godiva.....H. C.		25	75	38
Climbing Devoniensis.....C. T.		25	75	42	Eureka.....H. T.		50	1 50	14	Lady Hillingdon.....T.		25	75	26
Climbing Frau Karl					Excelsa.....H. C.		25	75	39	Lady Plymouth.....T.		25	75	27
Dreischki.....C. H. P.		35	95	39	Farben Konigen.....H. T.		50	1 00	22	Lady Roberts.....T.		25	75	26
Clim. Grussau Teplitz.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	Farguhar.....W. T.		20	65	41	Lady Ursula.....H. T.		30	85	19
Climb. Helen Gould.....C. H. T.		30	85	40	F. J. Grootendorst.....R.		30	1 00	28	Lamarque.....C. T.		25	75	42
Climbing Killarney.....H. T.		30	85	40	Florence Forrester.....H. T.		30	85	23	La Ponceau.....P.		25	75	28
Climbing Lady Ashtown.....		30	85	41	Florence Pemberton.....H. T.		30	85	17	La Reine.....H. P.		30	85	32
Clim. Lady Hillingdon.....C. H. T.		50	1 50	40	Flower of Fairfield.....H. C.		25	75	38	Laurente Carle.....H. T.		30	85	19
Climb. Mad. Caroline					Fortune's Doub. Yellow.....C. T.		25	75	42	Lillian Moore.....H. T.		1 50	15	
Testout.....C. H. T.		30	85	41	Francis Scott Key.....H. T.		40	1 00	10	Los Angeles.....H. T.		1 50	17	



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Louis Van Houtte.....	H. P.	30	85	33	Mrs. S. K. Rindge.....	H. T.	0	1 25	18	Sensation.....	H. T.	50	1 50	12
Ludwig Moeller.....	H. P.	1	50	31	Mrs. Wm. Cutbush.....	P.	25	75	28	Seven Sisters.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Mad. Abel Chateau.....	H. T.	30	85	19	Mrs. Wakefield Christie-Miller.....	H. T.	1	00	20	Silver Columbia.....	H. C.	50	1 50	9
Mad. Alfred Carriere.....	H. P.	30	85	33	My Maryland.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Silver Moon.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Mad. Caroline Testout.....	H. T.	30	85	20	National Emblem.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Sir Thomas Lipton.....	Rug.	25	75	30
Mad. Charles Wood.....	H. P.	30	85	32	Nerissa.....	H. T.	30	85	17	Snowflake.....	T.	25	75	27
Mad. Collette Martinet.....	H. T.	30	85	17	New Century.....	Rug.	25	75	30	Solfaterre.....	C. T.	25	75	42
Mad. Francisca Kruger.....	T.	25	75	27	Newport Fairy.....	H. C.	25	75	39	Soliel D'Or.....	H. C.	25	75	38
Mad. Jules Grolez.....	H. T.	30	85	20	Northern Light.....	H. C.	25	75	39	Souv. de Claudius Pernet.....	P.	2	50	14
Mad. Lambert.....	T.	25	75	27	Old Gold.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Souv. de Pierre Notting.....	T.	25	75	26
Mad. Masson.....	H. P.	30	85	33	Ophelia.....	H. T.	30	85	22	Souv. de Pres. Carnot.....	H. T.	30	85	24
Mad. Paul Euler.....	H. T.	30	85	18	Orleans.....	P.	25	75	28	Striped La France.....	H. T.	30	85	20
Mad. Pernet Ducher.....	H. P.	30	85	32	Papa Gontier.....	T.	25	75	27	Striped Reine Marie				
Mad. Plantier.....	H. T.	40	1 00	21	Paul Neyron.....	H. P.	30	85	33	Henriette.....	C. T.	25	75	42
Mad. Ravary.....	H. T.	30	85	20	Paul's Carmine Pillar.....	H. C.	35	1 00	35	Sunburst.....	H. T.	30	85	21
Mad. Schwallier.....	H. T.	30	85	24	Paul's Scarlet Climber.....	H. C.	30	90	36	Superba.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Mad. Segond Weber.....	T.	25	75	27	Perle des Jardins.....	T.	25	75	27	Sweetheart.....	W.	20	65	41
Mad. Welche.....	T.	25	75	26	Perle D'Or.....	P.	25	75	29	Tausendschon.....	H. C.	25	75	37
Madison.....	T.	25	75	26	Perle Von Godesberg.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Tennessee Belle.....	H. C.	25	75	37
Magnafrano.....	H. T.	30	85	19	Pharisaer.....	H. T.	30	85	17	T. F. Crozier.....	H. T.	50	1 50	12
Magna Charta.....	H. P.	30	85	32	Phila. Crimson R'mb'lr.....	H. C.	25	75	38	The Bride.....	T.	25	75	26
Magnifica.....	R.	1	10	30	Pilgram.....	H. T.	35	90	13	The Queen.....	T.	25	75	27
Maidens Blush.....	T.	25	75	27	Pillar of Gold.....	C. T.	25	75	42	Thousand Beauties.....	H. C.	25	75	37
Malmaison.....	B. C.	25	75	30	Pink American Beauty.....	H. P.	35	1 00	34	Tip Top.....	P.	25	75	29
Marchal Niel.....	C. T.	25	75	42	Pink Killarney.....	H. T.	30	85	22	Triumphphede Pernet Pere	H. T.	30	85	23
Margaret Dickson.....	H. P.	1	25	32	Pink La France.....	H. T.	30	85	20	Ulrich Brunner.....	H. P.	30	85	33
Marie Guillot.....	T.	25	75	27	Pink Maman Cochet.....	Tea	25	75	58	Veilchenblau.....	H. C.	25	75	36
Marie Lambert.....	T.	25	75	27	Pink Rambler.....	H. C.	25	75	38	Vick's Caprice.....	H. P.	30	85	33
Marie Pavie.....	P.	25	75	29	Pom Pom.....	H. C.	25	75	39	Victor.....	H. T.	50	1 25	12
Marie Van Houtte.....	T.	25	75	27	Prairie Queen.....	H. C.	25	75	39	Virdiflora.....	B. C.	25	75	29
Marshall P. Wilder.....	H. P.	30	85	33	President Taft.....	H. T.	30	85	17	Virginia R. Cox.....	H. T.	30	85	24
Mary C'tnessof Ichester.....	H. T.	30	85	19	President Wilson.....	H. T.	50	1 50	15	Wellesley.....	H. T.	30	85	21
Mary Lovett.....	H. C.	25	75	36	Premier.....	H. T.	35	1 00	16	W. F. Kendrick.....	H. T.	50	1 50	15
Mary Wallace.....	H. C.	30	1 00	35	Pride of Washington.....	H. C.	25	75	37	White Am. Beauty.....	H. P.	35	1 00	34
Mary Washington.....	C. T.	25	75	42	Prima Donna.....	H. T.	30	85	18	White Baby Rambler.....	P.	20	75	28
Melody.....	H. T.	30	85	24	Prince of Bulgaria.....	H. T.	30	85	23	White Banksia.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Meteor.....	H. T.	30	85	21	Prince E. C. D' Arenberg.....	H. T.	30	85	24	White Bougere.....	T.	25	75	27
Mignon.....	P.	25	75	29	Princess Adelaide.....	M.	25	75	29	White Dorothy.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Milady.....	H. T.	30	85	22	Princess Bonnie.....	T.	25	75	27	White Killarney.....	H. T.	30	85	22
Minnehaha.....	H. C.	25	75	38	Prince C. de Rohan.....	H. P.	30	85	33	White La France.....	H. T.	30	85	20
Miss Cynthia Ford.....	H. T.	35	90	13	Priscilla.....	H. T.	50	1 50	10	White Maman Cochet.....	H. C.	25	75	58
Mlle. Cecile Brunner.....	P.	25	75	29	Queen of Fragrance.....	H. T.	50	1 50	21	White Marchal Niel.....	C. T.	25	75	42
Mme. Butterfly.....	H. T.	35	90	13	Queen's Scarlet.....	B. C.	25	75	30	White Rambler.....	H. C.	25	75	38
Mme. Eugene Marlitt.....	B. C.	25	75	30	Radiance.....	H. T.	30	85	24	Wichuraiana.....	W.	20	65	41
Mme. Jenny Guillemot.....	H. T.	30	85	22	Red Columbia.....	H. T.	35	1 00	16	Willowmere.....	H. T.	35	1 00	14
Mme. Lucien Villenot.....	R.	1	10	30	Red Cross.....	H. T.	50	1 50	14	Wm. Allen Richardson.....	C. T.	25	75	42
Moussline.....	M.	25	75	29	Red Dorothy Perkins.....	H. C.	25	75	39	Wm. C. Eagan.....	W.	20	65	41
Mrs. Aaron Ward.....	H. T.	30	85	24	Red La France.....	H. T.	30	85	20	Wm. F. Dreer.....	H. T.	50	1 50	12
Mrs. Arch. Mackey.....	H. T.	50	1 50	12	Red Letter Day.....	H. T.	30	85	17	Wm. Notting.....	H. T.	30	85	20
Mrs. A. R. Waddell.....	H. T.	30	85	21	Red Maman Cochet.....	T.	30	85	58	Wm. R. Smith.....	T.	25	75	27
Mrs. B. R. Cant.....	T.	25	75	27	Red Radiance.....	H. T.	30	85	19	Wm. Shean.....	H. T.	50	1 50	13
Mrs. Calvin Coolidge.....	H. T.	50	1 50	12	Reine Marie Henriette.....	C. T.	25	75	42	Winnie Davis.....	H. T.	30	85	23
Mrs. Campbell Hall.....	T.	25	75	27	Rena Robbins.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Winsome.....	H. T.	35	1 00	16
Mrs. Charles Russell.....	H. T.	35	85	23	Rhea Reid.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Yellow Banksia.....	H. C.	25	75	39
Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury.....	H. T.	30	85	17	Richmond.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Yellow Killarney.....	H. T.	30	85	22
Mrs. George Shawyer.....	T.	30	85	16	Robin Hood.....	H. T.	30	85	18	Yellow La France.....	H. T.	30	85	20
Mrs. Henry Winnet.....	H. T.	30	85	16	Rosa Rugosa Alba.....	Rug.	85	30	30	Yellow Maman Cochet.....	T.	30	85	58
Mrs. Hugh Dickson.....	H. T.	35	90	13	Rosa Rugosa Ruba.....	Rug.	85	30	30	Yellow Rambler.....	H. C.	25	75	38
Mrs. John Cook.....	H. T.	35	90	13	Rosemary.....	H. T.	30	85	23	Zepherin Drouat.....	C. T.	25	75	42
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The Newer Varieties of American Roses

Silver Columbia

Hybrid Tea—Illustrated in natural color on back cover. A Sport of Columbia. From the illustration you will note the magnificent buds and blooms it produces on great stout stems. One of the greatest bloomers we have ever seen, being one mass of gorgeous blooms the entire growing season. It is a strong healthy grower, free from insects and disease, thus making it a rose that will become the most popular in America because anyone can succeed with it. Needs no petting or coaxing. It just grows anywhere. Foliage dark green. Does well indoors as well as in the open ground. Hardy everywhere. Excellent for cutting. In its color also lies one of the chief charms, being a beautiful clear shade of deep silver pink deepening towards the center. Fragrant as an American Beauty. Awarded Silver Medal by the American Rose Society. Price 50c each for first size plant, postpaid, \$1.50 for 2-year-old plants, by express collect. All on own roots.





Covington, Ohio
July 21, 1923.

Dingee & Conard Co.,
West Grove, Penna.

Gentlemen:

This spring I bought a Francis Scott Key Rose of you. Owing to the fact that we had cold weather here till June 1st and no warm rains these Roses were slow to grow and bloom. This Rose bloomed the other day for the first time and it is scorching hot here now, hardly any Rose will bloom to amount to anything here now, but this one created a sensation. It was as large as the incomparable Frau Karl Druschki and of even finer form because it has so many more petals and has a higher center and the color is simply beyond description, a rich scarlet with darker shadings. It is the one color that I have been trying to find for the last two years and I have over 200 Roses now. I will want at least a dozen of this variety next spring. Must also state that I bought own root Roses and budded stock this spring about 50-50. Contrary to all claims, I had much better luck with your own root stock than with the budded. The budded stock was much larger than yours but some of them are standing now just as they were planted in April, some died, some are doing fine but none have the fine blooms like the stock that I bought from you. I have four Columbias from you. They are immense bushes. I have one budded bush I bought from a firm here in Ohio this spring, it has grown about four inches and the blooms will not come perfect on it, think I will junk it. It may be that I don't know how to handle budded stock but I will take your own root stock every time. You are at liberty to give my experience to anyone who is undecided between budded and own root stock.

Clyde O'Roark,
312 Harrison Street.

*Francis Scott Key

An American Hybrid Tea seedling raised by John Cook and named in honor of the author of our national hymn, "Star-Spangled Banner." A heavy double rose of great substance and strong healthy grower of wonderful characteristics. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, as indicated by the illustration, which is a true reproduction of the bloom grown by us. Color a rich glowing scarlet, with darker shadings on outside of petals. A valuable cut flower variety, blooms commanding the high price. Produces blooms in great profusion throughout the entire summer. Hardy everywhere. Valuable outdoor variety. Price, first size plants, 40c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, \$1.00, by express, transportation, charges collect; \$10.00 doz. or \$1.10, postpaid; 3-year-old specimen plants, \$1.25 each, by express.

Charles K. Douglas

Hybrid Tea—Bud large, long pointed; flower large, full, double, sweet fragrance; color, intense flaming scarlet, flushed bright velvety crimson. Foliage dark green; disease resistant; vigorous, upright grower; produces an abundance of blooms from June to October.

America

Hybrid Tea—A cross between Premier and Hoosier Beauty. Color a lovely peach blow shade or rose pink, very fragrant. Buds of great length and pointed, opening into an enormous flower from 4 to 6 inches in diameter, and borne on long stiff stems, making it an ideal cutting variety. Excellent for forcing and out door planting. Foliage large dark green, stems thornless. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. Resembles somewhat Columbia in color and form of bud. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; 3 for \$1.25; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express, with soil on roots.

Priscilla

Hybrid Tea—An American introduction, which as a rule means adapted to this country. Strong robust grower with dark green foliage free from disease. Color a flesh pink with darker shadings. Buds well formed opening full and double and on long stiff stems well above the foliage. Excellent for cutting. Price, first size plants, 50c. each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express, with soil left on roots, all plants on own roots.



NEW ROSES—Continued

New Rose "Columbia"

Not since the introduction of the glorious Rose, American Beauty, have we been so impressed with any Rose as we have been with "Columbia." A hybrid tea of wonderful blooming qualities; as free a bloomer as any tea Rose; blooms all the time. Almost thornless. Wonderful strong shoots four feet or more in length, each producing a magnificent bloom, often measuring six inches across the open flower. Color a deep peach pink, deepening into a glowing pink, a perfect color. The fragrance is beyond description, sweeter than an American Beauty. After a thorough trial we heartily recommend it as a great outdoor Rose.

Hardy as an oak, thrives in any location, strong grower and soon makes a great display. One of the most exquisite Roses for cutting we have ever seen; produces handsome buds, on long, stiff stems well above the foliage. Foliage is a dark green and does not seem to be affected with disease or troubled with insects; on account of its strong growth, it seems to be able to ward both off, thus making it one of the most popular outdoor Roses. Don't fail to include one at least in your order; you will never regret it.

Price—First size, one-year plants, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 90c each, by express; \$9.00 per dozen of one or more varieties; \$1.00 each, by parcel post with soil on roots. Large specimen plants at \$1.25 each, by express.





NEW ROSES—Continued

Kootenay

Hybrid Tea—Beautiful soft rose. Flowers large, full and double. Very free bloomer, an improved Kaiserin, with a shade of cream in center. A vigorous grower in any location. Blooms on long shoots well above the foliage. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, by express collect.

T. F. CROZIER (Hybrid Tea)—A clear canary yellow, retaining its color in the open ground. Buds large opening large and full. Strong sturdy grower. Hardy in any location. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect. All on own roots.

MRS. ARCHIBALD MACKEY (Hybrid Tea)—Resembles the old variety Belle Siebrecht but a much larger flower and a better grower. Color a beautiful rose pink. Buds handsome in form and color, flowers opening full and double. Hardy everywhere. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect. All on own roots.

EDW. BOHANE (Hybrid Tea)—Velvety crimson shaded orange scarlet. Buds handsome and produced on long stiff stems. Flowers full and double. Fragrant. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect. All on own roots.

VICTOR (Hybrid Tea)—A new rose of American origin. Color a deep rose and carmine, edges of petals carmine lake. Buds long and pointed opening full and double on long stiff stems well above the foliage. Delightfully fragrant. Hardy in any location. Foliage dark green. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express collect. All on own roots.



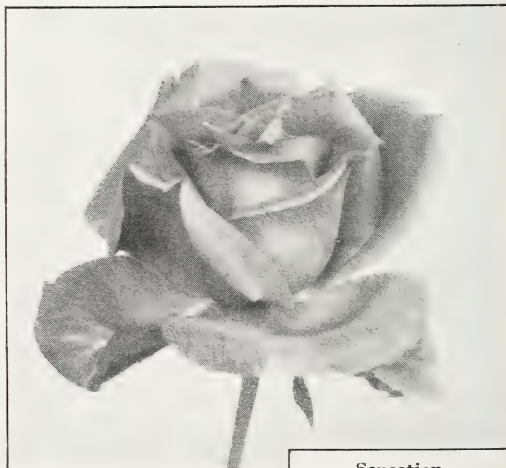
Kootenay

Sensation

Hybrid Tea—As the name implies it is a "Sensation," due to the color and habit of growth. Anyone that has seen Premier can imagine what this is like, being better in every way, color, foliage and growth. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double and retaining its color in the open flower. Blooms produced on long stiff stems well above the foliage and in great profusion. Color an entrancing shade of red. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each by express collect. All on own roots.

WM. F. DREER (Hybrid Tea)—On account of the unusual color of the bud and bloom makes the rose one of the most attractive of the new varieties. The color is one so hard to accurately describe that one has to see it in order to conceive its beauty. Soft apricot pink deepening on outside to a salmon pink which produces a charming effect. Profuse bloomer and good grower. Foliage a light green. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect.

MRS. CALVIN COOLIDGE (Hybrid Tea)—Color a deep golden yellow which deepens into a rich orange yellow as the flower expands, retaining its color, and not fading as usual with yellow roses. Excellent for cutting. A great producer of fine blooms. Hardy. Price, 50c each, for first size plants, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect.



Sensation



NEW ROSES—Continued



Mme. Butterfly

American Legion

Hybrid Tea—An American production, having been produced by Edward Towill, Roslyn, Pa. The blooms of this Rose the past season brought almost as much as the famous Rose, American Beauty, and as it becomes better known, we predict it will be as popular, as the color is such a pleasing shade of cerise, which it retains until all petals fall. Buds produced on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage and of immense size, long and pointed, opening full and double, a great producer. Foliage dark green, free from diseases such as Black Spot, Mildew, etc. Awarded First Prize for a new Rose in 1920. Silver Medal by the Penna. Horticultural Society and the International Rose Show of New York. Wonderful keeper, thus making it an ideal rose for cutting. Equally good as a forcing rose or for outside, being absolutely hardy in all localities.

LADY ALICE STANLEY—Color, coral-rose, the inside of the petals shading to flesh-pink. Grand for bedding. One of the best pink Hybrid Teas.

*Mme. Butterfly

Hybrid Tea—All the color tones of Ophelia are intensified, making it a harmony of bright pink, apricot and gold. Ophelia ranks at the top in popularity and Madame Butterfly will surpass it. It averages more petals to the bloom; it produces more bloom to the plant because it makes more branches, everyone carrying a bud. The tight buds are a lovely shade of Indian oak, yellow at the base; the opening flowers are perfect in form and texture, clear and brilliant in color and of delicious fragrance.

PILGRIM (Hybrid Tea)—Size of the bud is enormous, produced on heavy stems of great length, opening up full and double and of great substance and ideal form. The color is a beautiful shade of bright rose-pink with lighter shading on outer edges. Its highly Tea Rose fragrance recommends itself to all Rose lovers. Of strong sturdy heavy growth, producing blooms in great abundance throughout the entire season. Hardy everywhere.

GOLDEN OPHELIA (Hybrid Tea)—A seedling from the favorite Ophelia. Buds and flowers of medium size and beautifully formed of a bright golden yellow. Hardy and a profuse bloomer. Very attractive.

MISS CYNTHIA FORDE (Hybrid Tea)—A deep, brilliant rose pink, reflex rosy pink. Large, perfectly formed, very full buds, free flowering, very sweetly perfumed, splendid grower. Free from insects and disease of any kind. The full open flower resembles a handsome Zinnia on tall stiff stems well above the foliage. One of the best garden and bedding varieties suitable for any location.

MRS. JOHN COOK (Hybrid Tea)—Of the Ophelia family, which is almost sufficient recommendation to insure its popularity to the American Rose-loving public. Color a white suffused with delicate pink, sometimes being a flesh pink due to changing in season. Buds nicely formed, expanding into a large cup-shaped bloom. Strong grower and soon makes a big plant.

WM. SHEAN (Hybrid Tea)—One of the most unique roses in color tones and contrast. Flowers a beautiful pure pink with delicate tinting, of immense size and substance and perfect form. Strong sturdy grower making a well formed bush. Free blooming and hardy anywhere. Price first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each by express collect. All on own roots.

Price, except where otherwise noted, first size, one-year plants, 35c each, for all Roses on this page; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 90c each, by express; \$9.00 per dozen of one or more varieties; \$1.00 each, by parcel post with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen plants at \$1.25 each, by express.



NEW ROSES—Continued

Dorothy Page Roberts

Hybrid Tea—Beautiful buds opening into large globular blooms of coppery pink, suffused apricot yellow. A very unique Rose possessing remarkably beautiful shades of color. An ideal decorative garden rose. Strong healthy growth and a profuse bloomer the entire season. Hardy. Strong first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$2.50 each, by express or parcel post collect.

JOSEPHINE VESTAL (Hybrid Tea)—The color is one difficult to describe, being a salmon flesh shaded rose with a touch of yellow at the base. Buds of unusual attractiveness, opening full and double, produced on long stems well above the foliage. Blooms produced in great profusion. Hardy in all localities. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect.

RED CROSS (Hybrid Tea)—A rose of unusual markings and a color hard to describe. Color being an orange crimson-scarlet. Buds finely formed, long and pointed, opening full and carried on strong stems. Delightfully fragrant. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express collect. All grown on own roots.

Souv. de Claudius Pernet

PERNETIANA—In this rose we have the clear shining yellow color not yet seen in any rose, being entirely free from orange yellow found in such varieties as Sunburst and Mrs. Aaron Ward. The foliage is free and vigorous, leaves being bright shining green looking as if they had been varnished. Growth strong and sturdy. Free flowering. Hardy. Price, two-year-old budded plants, \$2.50 each, by express, with soil on roots.



The Lovely bud of Eureka



Dorothy Page Roberts

Eureka

Hybrid Tea—The color is unusually brilliant and clear of a bright rose pink retaining its color well in the open flower. Buds of good size and beautiful formation. Bush of erect growth and throws long straight stems making it excellent for cutting. Remarkable free bloomer. A seedling of Ophelia crossed with an unknown seedling. Hardy. All on own roots. Price, first size plants, 50c each postpaid; 3 for \$1.25; two-year-old plants \$1.50, each, by express, with soil on roots.

Angelus

Hybrid Tea—Color white with sometimes a creamy center when open, buds pure white, long and pointed on long stiff stems. Fine for cutting as the flowers are very lasting. Foliage deep glossy green free from insects and diseases. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. Hardy. Price, 50c each for first size plants; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express, with soil on roots.

Annie Laurie

Hybrid Tea—Type of Mad. Butterfly. Buds large, long and pointed, opening large cupped very double. Great cut flower variety. Color flesh pink, edges deeper, golden yellow base extending a third of the petals, borne on long strong stems. Foliage abundant, large rich glossy green. Few thorns. Vigorous grower and a profuse and continuous bloomer. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express collect. All grown on own roots.



NEW ROSES—Continued

Amelia Gude

Hybrid Tea—A cross between Columbia and Sunburst which has produced a charmingly beautiful yellow rose, outer petals reflexing deep yellow, center shading to a cream, very fragrant. Buds long and pointed, flower medium size. Foliage handsome dark green. Very vigorous upright grower and free bloomer. Hardy.

AVOCA (Hybrid Tea)—Color crimson scarlet. Large pointed buds opening into well formed blooms on good stiff stems well above the foliage.

PRESIDENT WILSON (Hybrid Tea)—A delightful shade of salmon pink, reminding one of the grand color of Willowmere, but clearer in tone. Flowers of large size and exhibition quality, freely produced on erect stems. A great Rose.

EARL HAIG (Hybrid Tea)—Deep reddish crimson, a solid color that does not fade. Large size and substance, perfectly formed, with high center, petals large smooth and massive. Splendid habit. An exhibition Rose of the highest order, and as a bedding variety it is excellent, being continuous in bloom and particularly good during the Autumn. A superb Rose.

ELSIE BECKWITH (Hybrid Tea)—This is a very fine seedling of a vigorous, upright habit of growth. The very sweetly scented blooms, with large bold stiff petals; are produced on strong stems. Not liable to damage by rain. Color a rich glowing rosy pink. Foliage dark green, shaded red; wood dark red; very handsome. Not liable to mildew. This is quite one of the best roses of the year, and a good all round sort for garden, bedding and under glass. It suggests a glorified Mrs. Charles E. Russell in commerce.

CAPTAIN KILBEE STUART (Hybrid Tea)—Rich glowing velvety crimson, shaded scarlet, most brilliant and attractive. An exhibition Rose of the highest standard, a valuable addition to the crimson shades of Hybrid Teas because of its brilliancy of color and wonderful size. Gold Medal, National Rose Society.

Amelia Gude

Climbing Columbia

Hybrid Tea—Sport of Columbia and has all the desirable features of its parent with a strong climbing tendency growing 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Foliage deep glossy green immune from disease and insects. Hardy in any location. Blooms with the greatest freedom the entire season. Buds and blooms of immense size often measuring six inches in diameter, of perfect formation, borne singly on long shoots. Color clear imperial pink, beautifully dark veined and delightfully fragrant.

CRIMSON CHAMPION (Hybrid Tea)—Beautiful buds of scarlet crimson large semi-double. Strong sturdy grower and free bloomer. Makes a well formed bush. Hardy in any location.

COLONEL OSWALD FITZGERALD. A brilliant Rose. Its blood red velvety crimson beautifully finished blooms are produced in great profusion. We have no hesitation whatsoever in describing this variety as excellent.

W. FREELAND KENDRICK (Originally called Bloomfield Endurance). Type, La France. Bud medium size, ovoid; flesh-white; flowers, large, slightly globular, very double, full, very lasting, fragrant, flesh deepening to peach in center, borne singly and several together on medium-length, strong stem. Foliage abundant, medium size dark bronzy green; leathery, glossy, very disease resistant. Very vigorous, semi-climber (5 ft. in Pa.) one profuse continuous bloomer (189 blooms in Portland) from May to Nov. Very hardy. Silver Medal, Portland, 1919.

COMTESSE DE CASSAGNE (Hybrid Tea)—Flowers of varying color; rich coppery-pink shaded clear rose; sometimes comes pure yellow; very large, form very fine; growth vigorous; fragrant.

Price—First size, one-year plants, except where otherwise noted, 50c each, for all Roses on this page, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express; \$15.00 per dozen of one or more varieties; \$1.60 each by Parcel Post with soil on roots.



Dingee Famous Hybrid Tea Roses The Most Desirable of All

For many years we have had by far the most complete and extensive list of Hybrid Tea Roses in the business, having been the first house to call particular attention to their wonderful value. Ours is the greatest collection in this country. As the new varieties are introduced they are given a trial, and if found wanting in any respect are discarded and not offered to the Rose-growing public until they prove worthy. This excellent class combines the continuous-blooming quality of the Ever-blooming Teas and the sturdy strength of the Hybrid Perpetuals. The plants bloom the first year, like the Teas, bearing large, finely formed flowers of a wondrous range of color, with the fragrance of the June Roses. They are especially valuable to Northern planters because they stand the severest winters with ordinary protection and, of course, luxuriantly in the South. In summer great masses of most beautiful Roses imaginable. Unless a Hybrid Tea Rose bush is grown from the choicest two-eyed cutting—the Dingee method—it will not give satisfaction. All our stock is on its own roots—don't buy the other kind, budded and grafted. We offer strong, lusty plants in all sizes and stake our reputation upon their quality.

PREMIER—The blooms are immense, often measuring 5 and 6 inches across the open flower, buds long, full and pointed. Growth remarkable, being strong and sturdy, each bloom borne on heavy canes, almost thornless and 4 and 5 feet long. Foliage dark, glossy green, free from disease or insects. Color is deep rose pink, without shadings and retains its color in the open flower. Highly fragrant. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00; \$10.00 per doz. by express collect.

RED COLUMBIA—A sport of the great Rose Columbia, which has become one of the most popular varieties in the cut-flower market, as well as a garden variety. The Red Columbia is not quite as full and double as Columbia, but has the same good qualities in every other respect. Color, a deep brilliant red. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00; \$10.00 per doz. by express collect.

CITY OF LITTLE ROCK (Hybrid Tea)—Distinct and beautiful in color, a bright rosy pink or rose shaded with Hydrangea pink. The buds which open perfectly are long of ideal form. Splendid grower and free bloomer. Delightfully fragrant. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each by express collect.

Price—First size, one-year plants, except where otherwise noted, 30c each, for all Roses on this page; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties; 95c each by Parcel Post with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen plants at \$1.25 each, by express.



The Great
Mrs. Geo. Shawyer
Rose

Mrs. George Shawyer

This is one of the newer varieties introduced by the growers of Lady Hillingdon. We have not seen a Rose that has met with such universal appreciation by both the amateur and professional grower. The color is very hard to describe, being a shade of brilliant clear rose or bright peach-pink. It is a wonderful grower and bloomer, producing great numbers of strong shoots, each tipped with a bud. These shoots form the stem, from 3 to 4 feet in length. The flowers are very large, well formed and full, petals of good substance. A very fine garden Rose as well as a forcing Rose.

MRS. HUGH DICKSON—A Rose suitable for any purpose, delightfully perfumed, producing its large flowers in great profusion. The petals are large and of excellent substance, and the flowers of superb build, with high-pointed centers, with a beautiful outline. Color, a deep cream, with heavy profusion of orange and apricot. Splendid grower.

DUCHESS OF WELLINGTON—A peerless Tea-like Rose, and one of the best in our trial grounds, with beautifully smooth and massive petals. The blooms are very large, full and perfectly formed, with high-pointed center. Very sweetly perfumed. The color, which is very novel, is a dainty, clear rose-madder. The growth is vigorous, erect and of very free-flowering habit. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00; \$10.00 per doz. by express collect.

WINSOME—Flowers full and double of a deep cherry rose. Splendid grower thriving in any soil and location. Magnificent foliage. Free bloomer and hardy anywhere. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 by express collect.



HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

Crusader

Color rich velvety crimson. Buds and blooms immense and of great substance, very full and double and the largest rose of its color we have yet seen. A big strong grower, soon produces a rugged bush loaded with the finest blooms that can be grown. Foliage heavy and free from disease. Hardy and a profuse bloomer. Price, first size plants, 40c each; 2 for 75c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, \$10.00 per dozen by express, or \$1.35 each by parcel post, prepaid, with soil on roots same as by express.

MADAME COLLETTE MARTINET

Beautiful old gold-yellow, shaded with orange-yellow with long golden-yellow buds, opening into a fairly large globular flower; very vigorous grower of a splendid branching habit, with reddish foliage; very fine.

NERISSA—Color, creamy yellow, shaded with white and peach tint toward center.

Bud handsome, long and pointed, opening full and double. Rank grower. Wonderful bloomer, making an excellent bedding and garden rose.

BESSIE BROWN—The plants are hardy and vigorous, producing flowers profusely in the open ground all through the summer. The color is pure white, flushed with pink; petals large and of fine form.

FLORENCE PEMBERTON—Distinctive creamy white, shaded rose; petals bordered rosy salmon; flowers large, very full and beautifully formed. Soon produces large, magnificent bush constantly in bloom.

ETOILE DE FRANCE—The strong, upright bushes have beautiful bronze-green foliage, which is not subject to insect attacks. The bushes are blooming constantly, producing large, massive, deep, full cup-formed flowers stiff stems, clear red or velvety crimson.

H. D. M. BARTON—A grand bedding rose of the Gen. McArthur type. Strong grower. Hardy everywhere. Awarded Gold Medal by the Irish Rose Society. Buds long and pointed, deep rich velvety crimson.

LOS ANGELES—Claimed by the introducer to be one of the finest Hybrid Tea Roses grown, and trials have substantiated his claim. Growth vigorous, producing in continued succession during growing season strong shoots, each one bearing an enormous flower of a luminous flame pink, toned with coral and shaded with translucent gold at the base of petal. Fragrant as an American Beauty. Buds handsomely long and pointed, while the beauty of form and ever-increasing wealth of color is maintained until the last petal falls. Strong budded plants only. \$1.50 each, by express. Stock limited.

RED LETTER DAY—A velvety brilliant glowing scarlet crimson Bud opening into cactus like flower which retains its color, owing to the reflex of the petals being satiny crimson scarlet, producing a rose of exquisite grace and charm. Robust grower and wonderfully free blooming. Awarded S. G. medal by National Rose Society.

PRESIDENT TAFT—A most remarkable pink Rose, with a shining intent deep ink color of a very distinctive shade. Splendid grower in every respect.



Crusader

Mrs. E. T. Stotesbury

One of the many new varieties of Roses recently produced in this country that will soon become a popular favorite is our prediction for this Glorious Hybrid Tea. A cross between My Maryland, Jos. Hill and Milady. It has the desirable features of all and apparently none of the faults, retaining the magnificent bud of my Maryland and the double flower when fully opened of Milady, making it the most perfect Rose we have ever seen. In its color lies one of its principal charms, being a soft silvery flesh pink, deepening towards the center to very deep pink, outer edges of the petals tinted silvery rose, making a combination found in so few. Strong grower, producing the blooms on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage.

ANTOINE VERDIER—A beautifully shaded, bright, glowing pink; flowers bold and massive, like American Beauty, and of splendid substance. Bush is strong and vigorous, in constant bloom.

PHARISAER—Strong, robust grower, exceptionally fine for outdoor culture. Extremely hardy and free blooming. Color rosy white and shaded salmon. Flowers large, full double and well formed.

COMMONWEALTH—Bud large, long, pointed; flower large, open, double, very lasting; deep pink, solid color; borne singly on medium strong stem; moderate fragrance. Foliage sufficient, leathery, medium size rich green, disease resistant. Few thorns. Vigorous, upright; continuous bloomer. Price, first size plants, 40c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express.

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HYBRID TEA ROSES— Continued



National Emblem

*Hoosier Beauty

This beautiful Rose is fragrant as Richmond; has more petals, a stiffer stem, a texture like velvet. In color, glowing crimson scarlet, with darker shadings. The bud is of good length, keeps well in the close-cut state, and opens into magnificent bloom, quite dazzling in its velvety brilliance. As soon as thoroughly established in the soil it sends out long, stiff growth with a bud on every shoot. Produces, naturally, stems 2 to 3 feet in length; each plant keeps up a very close succession of bloom, and again, unlike Richmond, it is a good summer Rose. It is an easy grower, and has become instantly popular and in heavy demand in the cities where blooms have been sold, flower buyers through the section calling for it by name.

GENERAL McARTHUR—Of strong, vigorous, healthy growth, branching freely, it produces its wonderful blooms profusely from May until October, of full scarlet crimson. Every shoot carries a large, double, well-formed flower of exquisite fragrance and lasting quality.

ROBIN HOOD—A grand grower, producing heavy canes and foliage. Blooms of immense size like the June Rose or Hybrid Perpetual. Color glorious rosy-scarlet that is soft, bright and lasting. Free bloomer, that is, blooming the entire growing season.

National Emblem

Owing to its magnificent color and formation this Rose was named National Emblem, and no Rose in our estimation has a better right to the honor of being the Standard Bearer. Its color is a deep crimson overlaid velvety crimson, shading to vermilion toward the edges. Buds long and pointed on stout stems, opening full and double, each one coming to perfection, and produced in marvelous profusion throughout the entire season.

Plants make a gorgeous sight owing to the brightness of the blooms and the luster of the foliage, being entirely free from mildew.

***BRITISH QUEEN**—By some said to be the finest white Rose in existence, surpassing in beauty and form any other white Rose. The flower resembles Frau Karl Druschki and White Maman Cochet, with the Tea Rose form and refinement. Flowers freely all summer long from early spring until frost. Buds sometimes show a slight flush, which disappears as the flower expands. Strong grower. Hardy. Awarded a gold medal by the National Rose Society of England.

***CLARA WATSON**—Rich salmon-pink, with very graceful flowers, resembling Bridesmaid in form and produced in remarkable profusion. The buds, which are supported on long stems, are very beautiful.

***F. R. PATZER**—A Rose of striking and pleasing appearance, owing to the delicate blending of color, which is a creamy-buff, with the reverse of petals a delicate warm pink, and as they expand the color becomes a light orange pink, which produces a most charming combination. Strong, vigorous grower. Produces numerous branches, each one crowned with magnificent bud and bloom, on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. Hardy and an excellent garden variety.

BETTY—It is of the type of the Killarney Rose, and has a truly unique color—ruddy gold. Blooms, extremely large, fairly full, of glorious form and deliciously perfumed.

MRS. HENRY WINNETT—Color a bright shade of crimson, not quite as dark as Hadley, but not as light as Richmond, a color that has proven to be very popular, and we consider it one of the best crimson varieties. Buds long and well formed.

MRS. S. K. RINDGE—Of strong free-branching habit of growth, with dark green mildew-proof foliage, long pointed buds, carried erect on stiff stems. Color clear rich chrome-yellow, which, as the flowers mature, become suffused with salmon-pink. The flowers are of good size, moderately double, and are produced freely and continuously. Price, strong two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express.

Price, first size, one-year plants, except where noted, 30c each for all Roses on this page; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each, by express, \$8.50 per dozen of one or more varieties; 95c each by Parcel Post with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or star size at \$1.25 each.



HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

*Jonkheer J. L. Mock

Called the Giant Pink from Holland. Of distinctive merit, being an extremely strong grower, one of the strongest of the Hybrid Tea class, blooming as it does with the greatest freedom, the buds carried on long, stiff erect stems, of the very largest size imaginable to obtain in a Rose bloom and still retain its perfect formation. Very fragrant. Color, clear imperial pink on the order of *La France*. This Rose has produced a sensation wherever grown.

***MAD. ABEL CHATENAY**—This splendid Rose is one of the very best of its color—rosy-carmine, with darker shade. It does remarkably well in the open ground, has wonderfully beautiful flowers, which are full, deep and double. A very hardy Rose, Chatenay is a strong grower and free bloomer; has won friends wherever it has been planted.

***LAURENT CARLE**—A beautiful Rose, with extra large, handsomely formed, rich velvety carmine buds and flowers. It is a phenomenally strong and robust grower, hardy in every locality and continually in bloom.

LADY URSULA—Flesh-pink, strongly Tea-scented; a grand grower, producing large, full, rounded blooms in wonderful profusion.

GLADYS HOLLAND—Magnificent in form and size. Color buff, shaded orange, yellow, outside of petals, pearly peach, a combination of colors that produces an effect very hard to describe; free blooming and very vigorous grower. A very unique bloom.



Jonkheer J. L. Mock

*Red Radiance

The color is a splendid even shade of clear red, without a trace of any other color, retaining its vividness for an unusually long time after being cut. It is a remarkable bloomer, being constantly in flower from early spring until freezing weather. Strong, vigorous, branching grower, each branch terminating in a large, bold, double bloom. Hardy everywhere.

LADY ASHTOWN—Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stiff stems. Color is a soft, solid carmine-pink of a most pleasing shade.

MARY COUNTESS OF ILCHESTER—Color warm crimson-carmine, a color almost indescribable. Flowers produced on long, upright stems, of immense size, with large, smooth, circular petals.

MAGNAFRANO—The flowers are very large, full, deep and double, and of delightful fragrance. The color of this magnificent Rose is bright, shining rose, with shadings of richer tones.



Red Radiance

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Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

Beautiful La France Roses

Of all the Hybrid Teas there are none which excel the La France Roses in all the good points necessary to a good Rose. Practically Hardy everywhere; splendidly adapted for general planting and deserve a place in every flower garden of America.

PINK LA FRANCE—Exceedingly sweet and handsome; flowers and buds large size, color lovely shade of silvery pink, tinged with crimson; fragrance delicious; flowers very full and beautiful.

WHITE LA FRANCE (Augustine Guinoisseau)—A pure white member of the La France family, having just a tinge of rose-blush tint, which grows stronger in the depths of the petals.

RED LA FRANCE (Duchess of Albany)—A superb Rose; resembles the Pink La France, but is much deeper in color.

YELLOW LA FRANCE (Mad. Pernet Ducher)—One of the best of the newer French Roses of its color; very pretty flower, semi-double. Bright canary-yellow.

STRIPED LA FRANCE—This Rose is almost exactly the same as Pink La France, except in color, which is bright satiny pink distinctly striped with bright rose.

SPECIAL OFFER—We will send one each of the Pink, White, Striped, Red, and Yellow La France Roses for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 5 in all, by express, for \$3.25.

HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

*Kaiserin Augusta Victoria

The greatest hardy, white Hybrid Tea Rose in existence. A strong, sturdy grower; free-flowering; it has become the most popular of all white Roses for general planting. Continuously from early spring until late fall, with pointed buds, the large, double flowers are glorious in their perfection; borne on long, stiff stems; delicate pure white, deliciously fragrant. Unexcelled for cutting; absolutely hardy. Although grown extensively under glass, it is essentially a garden Rose. There is nothing finer than this glorious Rose.

MAD. JULES GROLEZ, Red Kaiserin Augusta

—The color is a distinct and charming shade of cherry-red. The fine form and attractive shape of the flowers makes them excellent for cutting. It is a remarkably strong, healthy growing variety and is as hardy as the Hybrid Perpetuals.

MAD. CAROLINE TESTOUT—This is the Rose which grows so luxuriantly in the Far West that it has been adopted by the State of Oregon as its State Flower. The gardens of the cities along the Pacific Coast are the wonder of the world by the profusion of the bloom of this remarkable Rose. In color, it is of a satiny Rose, deepening to clear red in the center.

MRS. WAKEFIELD CHRISTIE-MILLER—A

handsome vigorous grower in almost any location. Free bloomer, always loaded with handsome buds and blooms. Buds long and pointed, opening full, double and great size. Color a soft pearly blush shaded salmon. Outside of petals a clear vermillion-rose. Two-year-old plants, only, at \$1.00 each, by express at purchaser's expense, or \$1.10 by parcel post, prepaid, with soil on roots, same as by express.

***MAD. SCHWALLER**—A beautiful combination of salmon-rose with edges of the petals touched with violet-carmine.

MADAME PAUL EULER ("Prima Donna")—

The color is a lovely shade of vermillion-pink, changing to silvery pink.

WM. NOTTING—Owing to its size and freedom of bloom it should be in every garden. Blooms fine, large, full and double and perfect formation. Color a bright rosy cerise, with a deeper center. Fragrant. Hardy and everblooming.

HELENA CAMBIER—Of unusual beauty, with large, double, beautifully formed flowers, the colors are varying, ranging from salmon-rose to coppery-rose; very often a handsome saffron hue. As the flowers expand the colors become lighter.

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

Crimson Queen

Owing to its rich coloring this is a wonderful garden or bedding Rose. There is no color that produces the show that a good crimson does. The color is a rich, bright, velvety crimson. A strong, vigorous, upright grower; flowers large and full, a great garden Rose as it is always in bloom; extremely hardy and produces a magnificent bush in a short time, hardy everywhere.

DEAN HOLE—Silvery carmine Roses with salmon shadings. The coloring is distinct and unique; a handsome tribute to the eminent Rosarian whose name it bears.

EDGAR M. BURNETT

—Very large, full flowers, of splendid form, with large flesh-colored petals tinted rose; an advance on the type of Rose of which the beautiful Lady Alice Stanley is a representative; one of the sweetest scented Roses in existence. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society of England.

Hadley—In color it is a deep velvety-crimson, retaining its brilliancy at all seasons of the year. The variety is double and buds are well formed. It is a strong, rapid grower; the flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, well above the foliage. It has proven itself under thorough trial to be an all-the-year-round forcing variety.

SUNBURST—A magnificent giant yellow forcing Rose, also well adapted for outdoor growing, being a vigorous and healthy Rose. Buds long and pointed, borne singly on long, stout stems, opening full and double. An excellent cut-flower variety, having excellent keeping qualities. A very vigorous grower, reddish-bronze foliage. The color is superb orange copper or golden orange, with a deep orange center. This Rose creates a sensation wherever grown.

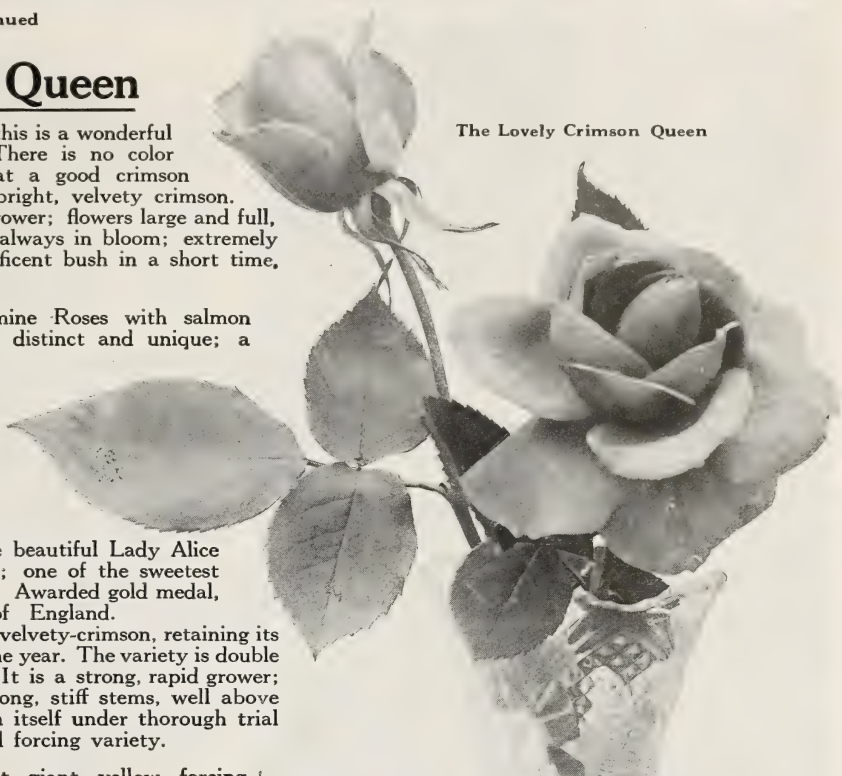
***WELLESLEY**—A most magnificent garden Rose of a beautiful shade of pink, vigorous, healthy growers; remarkably free-flowering, with fine keeping qualities; most valuable Rose for garden as it is particularly adapted for outdoor culture. Blooms produced on long stiff stems.

AURORA—Better than Champion of the World; of itself a recommendation of its great value. Flowers of splendid form, large and full, of a brilliant pink. Vigorous, hardy bush Rose, constantly in bloom.

CHRISSIE MacKELLAR—Of a very beautiful shade of crimson and carmine, with veinings on rich deep ochre.

EDWARD MAWLEY—It is an enormous big-petaled Rose. Resembles in form, and the beautiful rich color of Louis Van Houtte, only with a more velvety shading upon the inside of the petals. Very free blooming, with a perfect habit of growth, suitable for garden, exhibition or forcing purposes. A strong, robust grower and hardy everywhere. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems.

The Lovely Crimson Queen



Queen of Fragrance

As the name implies this is the most fragrant rose of them all. Color a lovely shade of shell pink without any shadings. Good habit of growth in the open ground. Flowers enormous. Hardy. Price, first size plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid; 2-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express, with soil on roots.

MRS. A. R. WADDELL—The flowers are of the largest size, of perfect form, and possess wonderful keeping qualities. The coloring is most brilliant in effect, being a rosy-scarlet, opening rosy-salmon, with reverse of petals rosy-scarlet. The bush is a sturdy, erect and vigorous grower, requiring but little care.

COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON—Large, fragrant flowers of an exquisite shade of soft, rich carmine; blooms large and well formed, with high pointed center, on long, stiff stems. Petals crinkled, on the order of a Zinnia. Tall grower.

METEOR—Very few dark Roses compare with this in richness and depth in color, which is a rich velvety crimson, shading very dark in the depths of the petals.

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

Milady

A cross between **Richmond** and **J. B. Clark**, it has retained the color of both, being a rich velvety crimson, with darker shading toward the center and retaining its color in the expanded bloom. Hardy as **Clark** in the open ground, and as free a bloomer as **Richmond** under glass. Buds medium, long and opening full and double to the center, producing a magnificent flower. Blooms of immense size, sometimes measuring four to five inches in diameter, and produced on long, stiff stems well above the foliage. Fragrant and good keeper.

OPHELIA—The color is one so difficult to describe that any description can only be a partial one, and gives but a faint idea of the superb beauty and richness of the shades. Salmon-flesh, shaded with rose. Buds of unusual attractiveness; opening full and double. Habit excellent, growth strong, produces flowers on long stems, well up above the foliage, and in great profusion all summer. Hardy in almost all localities. Grand for forcing or outdoors.

FARBEN KONIGEN (Queen of Colors)—This Rose, as its name implies, is the queen of colors, being almost beyond description. One of the finest grown of this beautiful shade. Buds long and pointed, opening large and double. Color bright carmine and rosy-crimson, overlaid with a satiny silver sheen. Very free bloomer. Perfectly hardy.

Price—First size plants, 50c each; 3 for \$1.25, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 by express; \$10 dozen or \$1.10 each by Parcel Post with soil on roots.

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The Lovely Killarney Roses

The Rose for Every Home.

***DOUBLE PINK KILLARNEY (The Famous Irish Rose)**—This queen of the Irish Roses excels any other of its class and color yet introduced, and by many is recognized as the most beautiful, hardy, everblooming Hybrid Tea Rose now under cultivation. Each season since it was introduced Killarney has increased in popularity, and the demand has always exceeded the supply. The bush is strong and upright, with beautiful, deep bronzy green foliage, and the Rose is entirely free-blooming, bearing immense, long pointed buds and massive flowers on big, heavy shoots. The color is deep, brilliant and sparkling shell-pink, of the most exquisite shade. The flowers are of delightful fragrance, immense size, and have thick petals of great substance. Killarney is unusually hardy and without protection has withstood severe winters as far north as Boston.

***DOUBLE WHITE KILLARNEY**—An offspring of the Pink Killarney and is one of the most exquisite white Roses grown. The long, full buds are handsome in shape and the full-open flower most refined and beautiful in form and texture.

***YELLOW KILLARNEY (Mme. Jenny Gillemot)**—A brilliant saffron-yellow Rose, opening canary with dark golden shades. The buds are long and pointed, beautiful in form and color, the flowers are large, with immense petals. Hardy and vigorous, it is in constant bloom all summer. Blooms produced on long, stiff stems, making an excellent Rose for cutting. Owing to its resemblance to the Killarneys, we have called it the Yellow Killarney, as it makes a good companion for them. Price of Killarney Roses 30c each; 4 for \$1, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each, by express. 95c each by parcel post, with soil on roots.

Special Offer One each of these Killarneys, 3 in all, first size plants, sent postpaid for 75c. One of each, 3 in all, two-year-old plants, sent by express for \$2.25; by parcel post with soil on roots for \$2.50. Three-year-old or specimen plants, by express, for \$1.25 each.



HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued

*Rhea Reid

"As large as American Beauty, as double as La France and as red as Richmond," is the enthusiastic way the originator describes this beautiful new Hybrid Tea Bush Rose. The color is vivid scarlet crimson, and the flowers are marvels of beauty; large, bold and of splendid substance. It has a strong, disease-resisting constitution, makes a rapid growth and throws up a profusion of canes from the roots and is always blooming. As an all-around garden bush Rose it has no superior.

MY MARYLAND—Its brilliant, lively shade of pink and beauty of form is without superior, and all summer through large, perfectly double magnificent flowers, rich in fragrance, are borne on long, stiff stems growing from a sturdy, fine-shaped bush, which in itself is a distinct ornament to the garden. A great outdoor Rose. Extremely hardy.

RICHMOND—Wonderfully free blooming, its immense, fragrant, scarlet-crimson flowers are borne on long, stiff stems, making it a rival of American Beauty, and even more dazzling in appearance. In the garden its flowers are as fine as those found in the greenhouses. Perfectly hardy.

***KILLARNEY BRILLIANT**—An offspring of Pink Killarney, but several shades darker, the color being a beautiful shade of brilliant red. Habit of growth same as Killarney. Just as free a bloomer.

FLORENCE FORRESTER—Clear snow-white with a lemon tinge; as the flowers age they become a pure white; the blooms are even larger than Paul Neyron.

TRIUMPH DE PERNET PERE—A French Rose originated by Jean Pernet, of France. Flowers large, with broad, thick petals, and long pointed buds. Delicious Tea fragrance. Clear magenta-red passing to bright crimson.

FRANK W. DUNLOP—The color is a most pleasing shade of soft pink, deepening towards the center. Bud perfect in form and substance, being long and pointed, opening full and double. Produced in marvelous profusion on long stiff stems. Strong healthy grower, being absolutely free from disease of any kind. Hardy everywhere. A wonderful outdoor rose.

PERLE VON GODESBERG—This magnificent Rose was originally sent out as a Yellow Kaiserin Augusta Victoria, it having all the beauty of form and substance of that great garden Rose. The color is a rich canary-yellow with shadings of saffron. The flowers are massive in size, full and double, with the petals elegantly recurved. It is one of the finest garden Roses, being perfectly hardy.



Rose Rhea Reid

Ecarlate

One of the grandest for outdoor blooming of this class. Color a solid, brilliant scarlet. Profuse bloomer, strong, sturdy grower. Exceptionally fine as those found in the greenhouses. Perfectly hardy.

MRS. CHAS. RUSSEL—A new Hybrid Tea Rose of American origin and considered to be equal to American Beauty both for forcing and open ground culture. Buds long and pointed, produced on long, stiff stems, 3 feet in length, each one crowned with a bloom of a beautiful shade of rosy pink. Blooms large, full and of magnificent formation.

ANTOINE RIVOIRE—Flowers large, double and of fine form; very fragrant; color, rosy-flesh, with yellow ground, shaded with border of carmine. Strong and healthy.

PRINCE OF BULGARIA—Not the least of its charms is the large, bright green foliage, and the buds are simply grand. The flowers are large and quite full; outer petals superb rosy-flesh with the index petals of a slightly lighter tint.

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HYBRID TEA ROSES—Continued.

*Virginia R. Coxé

(or Gruss an Teplitz). For intense and dazzling color there is no other Rose to compare with this splendid kind. The flowers are large and handsome, moderately double, of splendid substance, and are produced in amazing profusion during the whole of the growing season; in fact, it is always in bloom. The color is fiery crimson, shaded with a dark velvety sheen, a combination found in no other Rose.

GORGEOUS—One of the most striking Roses in existence owing to the marvelous blending of colors. Deep orange-yellow and heavily veined with reddish copper, the most charming and gorgeous coloring which has yet been attained in a Rose. Awarded Gold Medal by the National Rose Society. Flowers large and full, exquisitely formed and produced in marvelous profusion. Good grower and hardy. Price first size strong plants, 40c each; 2 for 75c, postpaid, two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each by express.

MRS. AARON WARD—The color ranges from coppery-orange in the opening bud, changing to a golden-orange, and when the flower is fully open it is a lovely shade of pinkish fawn. Most vigorous in growth, every shoot produced a flower and clothed in dark, glossy green foliage, maroon on under side. Popular.

MADAME SEGOND WEBER—One of the most beautiful Roses of recent introduction. The long, pointed buds are pink or salmon-flesh and when fully expanded are immense in size, full and double; as the flower opens it deepens until it fairly glows with its warm, deep pink. Highly fragrant. Very hardy and constantly in bloom.



Virginia R. Coxé

*Radiance

A glorious new extra-hardy Hybrid Tea Rose which originated a few miles from West Grove. Awarded Silver Medal by the American Rose Society as the best bedding Rose at the Hartford, Conn., gardens. The flowers are a beautiful blending of shades of carmine-rose, with opal and coppery reflections. It is of splendid, sturdy growth, constantly in bloom and is bound to become one of the leading garden Roses. We cannot say too much in its praise.

PRINCE E. C. D'ARENBERG—Flowers of a bright scarlet, shaded maroon, borne on long, straight, upright stems. Buds long and pointed, opening full and double, perfect form, massive petals. Strong, healthy grower, excellent foliage, constant bloomer, making an ideal garden Rose. Hardy in almost any location or climate.

GEN. ARNOLD JANSSEN—Color a deep glowing carmine. Free bloomer. Buds long and pointed on long, stiff stems.

SOUV. DE PRESIDENT CARNOT—Buds very long and pointed; perfection in every line. The delicate rosy-blush color, shaded a trifle deeper at the center of the flower, has not been approached by any later introduction. Fragrant, strong grower and free bloomer; a splendid outdoor Rose.

MELODY—A lovely shade of yellow, deepening to apricot in the center, perfect in form and very double. The bush is hardy, vigorous and constantly in bloom.



Radiance

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Dingee Hardy Everblooming Tea Roses

Tea Roses form the foundation of nearly all the great Roses of today. Without them the lovely Hybrid Tea class would be impossible. They are among the oldest and most highly cherished of all Roses. They have made the Rose-gardens of America what they are. Their place and value is everlasting. Rugged, healthy and hardy in growth, free blooming (they bloom all the time), their flowers are chaste and beautiful. You cannot well do without them. They thrive gloriously in all sections.

Their ease of propagation has, unfortunately, caused them to be produced by some growers in enormous quantities to meet a certain demand for "cheap Roses," and these so-called cheap Roses have brought untold disappointment to all who have planted them, and have discredited the business of every first-class Rose dealer. **Plant good Roses**, grown by a firm with a reputation to sustain. Pay a fair price for high-class goods, with a guarantee back of them—the Dingee kind—and you will soon become a Rose enthusiast.

Ours is the greatest collection of own-root Roses in the world. This collection of hardy, everblooming Tea Roses is the very life of our immense list. To the beginner—the novice in Rose culture—the great number of varieties may be confusing, but to eliminate a single one, however, would do a distinct injustice to the introducer and to our collection, for each variety has its own particular charm and merit. If you find it difficult to make a choice, leave selection to us.

Prices of all Hardy, Everblooming Tea Roses, except where noted, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, 85c each, by parcel post prepaid, with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in still larger or star size at \$1.25 each.

* Alexander Hill Gray

After a thorough trial both indoors under glass and in the open ground, we are pleased to offer this lovely yellow Rose to our customers as one of the very best of its class and color. The color, which is a deep lemon-yellow, deepening as the flower expands, does not fade in the open ground, as is usual with such. Buds and blooms of perfect formation and of great substance, and produced in the greatest abundance throughout the entire season. Strong grower and hardy everywhere. This Rose was awarded Gold Medal by the National Rose Society.

***IVORY**—A sport of Golden Gate. Color pure white without a particle of any other color. Good grower.



**The Full
Bloom
of the
Wonder-
ful Alex.
Hill Gray
Rose**

Burbank

A revival of Champion of the World, bearing a great profusion of large crimson flowers; very fragrant, and produced in marvelous profusion the entire season. Strong, upright grower. Extremely hardy.

BON SILENE. A Grand Old Rose—The color is deep rose, changing to pale light rose. This variety cannot be surpassed for bouquets and decorative purposes. In the open ground it grows to perfection, producing large crops of beautiful flowers from early spring until late autumn. One of the favorites of the old-time gardens.



HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Con.

*Lady Hillingdon

Apricot yellow shaded to orange on the outer edge of the petals, becoming deeper and more intense toward the center of the bloom. The color does not fade after the bloom is cut, but invariably becomes darker. Buds are produced on long, strong, wiry stems, well above the foliage, producing a slender and graceful effect. A strong, hearty, healthful grower.

CATHERINE MERMET—One of the best varieties of Tea Roses. A very free bloomer, producing clear, shining pink flowers, the center being shaded fawn and amber. It is a good Rose for open ground culture and forcing under glass.

FREIHERR VON MARSHALL—It has wonderfully beautiful foliage and produces large, full, beautifully shaped flowers, which are borne in profusion all through the season. The color is bright red, one of the best red Tea Roses that is known.

ISABELLA SPRUNT—This golden yellow Rose has been known as a favorite for over twenty years. It is a free bloomer, producing flowers of bright canary-yellow, very sweetly scented. The buds are very desirable for cut flowers.

ENFANT DE LYON (The Sweet Anise Rose)—In color the flowers are a beautiful creamy rose, delicately shaded coppery yellow.

MADISON—A splendid pure white Rose.

LADY ROBERTS—A fine golden-yellow Rose.



Lady Hillingdon

*Souv. de Pierre Notting

Strong, bushy habit, and has won numerous gold medals and awards of merit. The flowers are very large, well filled and open easily; color apricot-yellow, tinged with golden and mixed with orange-yellow, edge of petal shaded carmine-rose. In form and beauty it is the equal of Maman Cochet, and by many is regarded as the best all-around Rose for general cultivation.

***THE BRIDE**—There is no other white Rose more satisfactory than the Bride. The buds and flowers are unusually large, well formed and deliciously perfumed. It is of a strong and healthy growth, and a profuse bloomer.

COUETTE DE LYON—The flowers are extra large, deep and double; color pure canary-yellow. Unlike other yellow Roses, it is a strong, vigorous grower.

DUCHESS DE BRABANT—The color is a fine shade of soft, rosy pink, which deepens to bright rose.

ETOILE DE LYON—It is of vigorous, sturdy growth, and seems able to resist heat and cold equally well. It blooms freely, producing beautifully formed flowers of a rich golden-yellow.

BOUGERE—This is a fine variety for open ground culture. Large, full and double flowers supported on long, stiff stems and produced in great abundance all through the growing season; color bronze rose or violet-crimson shaded with lilac.



Souvenir de Pierre Notting

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HARDY EVERBLOOMING TEA ROSES—Continued

*Wm. R. Smith

Especially suited for outdoor planting and cutting purposes. The soft blending of the salmon-pinks, rose-pinks, and the magnificent flesh tints resemble the blush of a maiden's cheek. The flowers are large, full and double, and most exquisitely formed. The petals are so firm they look like wax. Perfect buds.

PERLE DES JARDINS (Pearl of the Garden)—The color is a clear golden-yellow, of a beautiful shade; the flowers are large, full, of globular form, with great depth, and substance, richly perfumed.

CORNELIA COOK—The flowers are borne in great profusion and are very desirable. The color is pure creamy white, tinged with lemon and blush.

MADAME WELCHE—Color, amber-yellow, deepening toward the center to orange or coppery yellow, delicately clouded with pale crimson.

GOLDEN GATE—Color, rich creamy white, shaded with a golden yellow and clear rose.

MAIDEN'S BLUSH—Produces a fine, healthy bush, with fine, large, bright green foliage, edged with red—almost disease and insect proof. Color a soft blending of salmon-pink, rose-pink, and flesh tints.

SAFRANO—The color is a bright apricot-yellow, passing to orange and fawn, sometimes tinted rose.

THE QUEEN—Of vigorous and healthy growth; sweetly scented. A constant bloomer, producing profuse crops of buds and flowers; the buds are well-shaped, with large petals of best substance. Color is pure snowy white.

MAD. FRANCISCA KRUGER—The flowers large, deeply shaded coppery yellow in color.

WHITE BOUGERE—The pure ivory-white flowers are unusually large, deep, full and double, borne on long, stiff stems.

MARIE GUILLOT—The color is pure white, sometimes faintly tinged pale yellow. The flowers are beautifully made, very large, full double; the buds are very pretty, of sweet fragrance.

MADAME LAMBARD—Color a magnificent shade of rosy-bronze, changing to salmon and fawn, tinted with carmine.

DEVONIENSIS (The Charming Magnolia Rose)—Produces an abundance of large, very full and double flowers all through the season. The color is creamy white, with rosy centers and very fragrant.

GENERAL DE TARTAS—It is of good habit, and an excellent Rose in every way. The color is a brilliant carmine, deeply shaded with violet-purple, oftentimes tinged with buff.

HELEN GOOD—Valuable for garden culture. The color is pale yellow, mixed with pink, each petal edged deeper. Very pure and beautiful.

MRS. CAMPBELL HALL (Tea)—Delicate creamy-buff, edged or suffused rosy-carmine. The center of the bloom is warm cerise coral fawn. Deliciously fragrant. Awarded gold medal, National Rose Society.



Wm. R. Smith

Marie Van Houtte

The color of the flowers, which are large, full and double, is pale canary-yellow, passing to rich, creamy-white, shaded with pale rose.

LADY PLYMOUTH—A Rose similar to Souv. de Pierre Notting, which means a handsome bud and full, double bloom of large size. Color is delicate pearly but deep ivory cream, faintly flushed.

MARIE LAMBERT, or SNOWFLAKE—Large, double, creamy-white flowers are produced in marvelous profusion.

MRS. B. R. CANT—Strong growing variety, producing heavy stems, with large, healthy foliage and flowers almost the equal and style of Helen Gould, but more double; deep rose, with silvery rose center.

PAPA GONTIER—A strong, vigorous grower and constant bloomer; one of the best and most valuable, both for open ground and greenhouse; color rich cherry-red, passing to clear, glowing crimson.

PRINCESS BONNIE—The brightest, sweetest and freest-blooming Rose in existence. Color solid crimson, deeper and more vivid than "Gen. Jack." Fragrance is sweeter than La France.

BLUMENSCHMIDT—A splendid bedding Rose of the Cochet type, glowing all summer with its wealth of citron-yellow flowers, each petal of which is edged with dainty rose. The individual flowers are large and well formed, resembling in many ways some of the handsomest Tea Roses.

BRIDESMAID—This variety is valuable for cutting and does finely in the open ground; a sport from the old and popular pink Tea Catherine Mermet, but of a fine, clear, dark pink, much deeper and more constant in color than Mermet.

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A BED OF BABY RAMBLERS

Dwarf or Baby Rambler Roses

The Baby Ramblers fill a long-felt want for a rose suitable for planting along walks, driveways, and around beds where a low growing bush is desired for planting in beds or single specimen plants. They are of a dwarf habit, rarely growing more than twelve inches in height. Blooming always. Absolutely hardy.

LA PONCEAU—Dark red large clusters.

JESSIE—The color is clear and brilliant ruby-red; foliage dark and glossy.

ANNY MULLER—Color a shiny and brilliant pink, produced in the greatest profusion in large clusters.

DOUBLE WHITE BABY RAMBLER—Great masses of double, pure white flowers, covering the plant as with a mantle.

BABY TAUSENDSCHON—Flowers firm, white, delicately flushed pink, changing to deep rosy-carmine.

GEO. ELGER—It produces great quantities of lovely little buds of golden-yellow, opening into miniature symmetrical Roses. Bush is so loaded with blooms they resemble a huge bouquet.

MRS. WM. CUTBUSH—Flowers of pale pink, borne in huge trusses throughout the entire summer.

ORLEANS—Brilliant geranium red flowers, suffused rose, with a rosy-white center.

EDITH CAVELL—Bright crimson, white eye.

GRUSS AN AUCHEN—Yellowish rose colored with salmon pink and red shadings. Blooms larger than the average polyantha.

ELLEN POULSON—Dark brilliant pink.

CLOTILDE SOUPERT—Known the world over as one of the very best of all bedding Roses. A strong, dwarf grower and a truly wonderful bloomer, producing clusters after clusters of the finest formed flowers. Full and double, and deliciously sweet. Color effect is beautiful, ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery-rose.

Price of all Baby Rambler Roses offered on this page, except where noted, 25c each for strong pot plants; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express, or 85c each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.

IDEAL—The darkest of all the Baby Ramblers, an intense lustrous garnet. Flowers are not large but are produced in very large trusses and are very effective. Compact habit of growth. Blooms abundantly all season. Price, first size plants, 35c each, 3 for \$1, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each by express collect. All on own roots.

CHATILLON—Type, Orleans Rose. Bud small, long pointed; flowers medium size, semi-double, cupped, very lasting bright pink; slight fragrance. Foliage disease resistant. Very vigorous, bushy, one to two feet high, profuse and continuous bloomer. Hardy. Silver Gilt Medal, 1923, award of Merit, French Horticultural Society. Price same as Ideal.

Miscellaneous Roses

HARRISON'S YELLOW ROSE—One of the finest pure deep yellow hardy Roses ever grown. Three-year-old plants only, \$1.25 each.

THE CHEROKEE ROSE—A strong, erect-growing sort, with glossy green leaves. The bushes bear large pure white Roses in great profusion. Moderately hardy. Price, first size, 25c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each; \$8.50 doz.

SOLEIL D'OR—A blending of reddish gold, orange-yellow, nasturtium-red and pink. Low-budded, field-grown plants, \$1.25 each.

F. J. GROOTENDORST—This is a new type of Rose which might properly be called a Rugosa Baby Rambler, it being a cross between Rugosa and the crimson Baby Rambler. Imagine a shrub-like Rugosa Rose covered with trusses of crimson Baby Rambler Roses and you will have a fair conception of this new hybrid variety. It is not a Rose that you want to plant in with your bed of Hybrid-Tea or Hybrid Perpetual Roses, but is valuable to plant as an isolated specimen or in a mass in a bed in an exposed position or among shrubs in a shrubbery border or use it for an everblooming hedge for which purpose it is admirably adapted. It is absolutely hardy and continues in bloom until late in the fall. Strong two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, by express.



Polyantha or Fairie Roses

The members of this distinct and charming class of everblooming Roses, of which the Baby Rambler forms a conspicuous group, are distinguished by their dwarf, bushy habit of growth, medium size, very double flowers and delightful fragrance.

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Mlle. CECILE BRUNER—Rosy pink on rich creamy white ground; a great bloomer; very satisfactory for bedding.

MARIE PAVIE—Medium size, very full and double; borne in large clusters; white flushed with carmine.

PERLE D'OR—Coppery gold, changing to fawn and salmon; flatrayed form, very double; elegantly perfumed.

MIGRON—Very similar to Mlle. Cecile Bruner, but of lighter shade of pink, buds equally as handsome as the Cecile Bruner.

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time to water. Water and shower thoroughly, as one good watering is worth half a dozen if only half done. Repot the plants about twice, first in a 6-inch pot and last in an 8-inch pot. Make the soil a little richer each time the plants are repotted. The plants can also be mulched with manure, which answers the double purpose of keeping the roots cool and moist and also furnishes food for the plant. As soon as the buds form in the fall it is better to add a little manure water when sprinkling, weak at first, but gradually adding more, increasing the watering until it can be used every day. For insects, such as black Aphis, use tobacco dust. If large flowers are desired, pinch off all buds and allow only a few to bloom. If a big single flower is desired, pinch off all the side branches, allowing only the crown bud to bloom. After the frosty nights come in the fall the pots are taken in the house and kept in a cool room, where the flowers will develop and remain nice for a long time.

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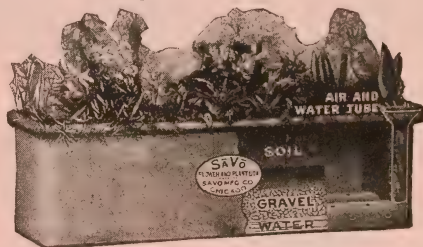
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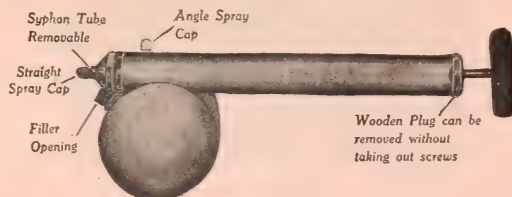
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GLOIRE DE MARGOTIN—Flowers large, somewhat globular, full and deliciously scented; clear, dazzling red.



General Jacqueminot

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—Finest pure white Rose. Free flowering almost as a Hybrid Tea. See Prices on page 34.

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***MAD. CHARLES WOOD**—Begins to bloom almost as soon as planted, and continues all through the season; flowers extra large, double, full and quite fragrant; bright fiery scarlet, passing to fine, rosy crimson, shaded with maroon; showy and handsome.

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HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued

*J. B. Clark

An intense deep scarlet-rose, shaded blackish-crimson, color like the sheen of a plum, often 7 inches in diameter and 5 inches deep. J. B. Clark has created a great sensation throughout the United States and Europe. A wonderfully strong and upright grower, exceedingly vigorous, with splendid and heavy dark bronze-green foliage. The glory of the plant is in its flowers, however, as they are extraordinary in size, full and double, wonderfully fragrant, of great depth, and borne freely from the first year, on long, stiff stems.

***MAGNA CHARTA**—Extra large, full flowers, very double; of fine form, and sweet; clear, rosy red, beautifully flushed with violet-crimson; sure and profuse bloomer.

LA REINE—Clear, bright rose; large, fine, full form; fragrant and hardy.

MRS. JOHN LAING—Immense flowers, full and double, borne in great profusion on long, stiff stems, and exceedingly sweet. Clear, bright, shining pink, exquisitely shaded. Buds long.

***MAD. PLANTIER**—For outdoor planting, the best white Hybrid Perpetual. Especially good for cemetery planting. Flowers are pure white, very large and double; a continuous bloomer. One of the best white hardy Roses.

MARGARET DICKSON—The flower is of magnificent form, very large in size, almost as large as Paul Neyron, the largest of all Roses; color is pure waxy white, without spot or blemish; petals very large, well shaped and of great substance. The buds are large and globular, particularly exquisite and handsome. It is a strong, vigorous grower, with fine foliage; a free bloomer. Two-year-old budded plants, \$1.25 each, by express.



Gloire Lyonnaise



HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES—Continued

Ulrich Bruner

A great Rose, known to all planters as one of the best in this class. Immense, large, bold flowers, full and globular; rich, glowing crimson, elegantly flamed with scarlet. Hardy, unusually free bloomer. Highly fragrant.

PRINCE CAMILLE DE ROHAN—Celebrated the world over for its large, handsome, fragrant flowers and the freedom with which they are produced. The color is a deep, rich velvety Crimson, passing to intense maroon, shaded black. At a short distance they appear really black.

BLACK PRINCE—Much sought after because of its dark crimson flowers, which are shaded so deeply as to be almost black; cupped, large, full, fine-shaped.

EMPRESS OF INDIA—Dark brownish-crimson. Double and finely shaped flowers. A strong, vigorous grower.

GIANT OF BATTLES—A grand old favorite. One of the best, if not the best, hardy, vivid crimson Rose; large, very double and sweet.

GEORGE DICKSON—Magnificent large, full double blooms of velvety black scarlet crimson with back of petals veined with crimson maroon. Retains its shape and color remarkably well both before and after cutting. Rich Tea Rose perfume, strong, robust growth.

PAUL NEYRON—The flowers are immense; probably the largest and finest Rose; bright, shining pink; clear and beautiful; very double and full; finely scented.

EARL OF DUFFERIN—Rich velvety crimson, shaded with dark maroon. Beautifully shaped buds, borne on long, graceful stems. Very full and double. Delightfully fragrant and free bloomer. One of the best dark-red Hybrids.

JUBILEE—A pure crimson, with shading of maroon; a grand Rose from every point of view.

HEINRICH MUNCH—One of the newer varieties that has created a sensation wherever grown. The color is a soft pink, very large and full; vigorous grower and undoubtedly one of the very finest of the Hybrid Perpetual varieties.

VICK'S CAPRICE—Flowers large and slightly cup-shaped, but full and deep; petals thick and lasting, having the ground color clear, satiny pink, distinctly striped and dashed with white and bright carmine. Blooms freely at short intervals during the whole season.



Ulrich Bruner

MAD. MASSON—It is entirely hardy, blooms nearly all the time, as free as any Hybrid Tea, bearing numbers of large, full, double flowers of unusual beauty and wonderful fragrance; clear, bright rose, distinct and charming. A great Rose.

EUGENE FURST—Strong, vigorous grower, with thick, healthy foliage. Flowers beautiful, velvety crimson, shading to maroon. Highly scented.

JEAN LIABAUD—Color nearly black. Flowers large, full and fragrant; most intense, dark, rich, velvety, crimson imaginable, almost black.

JOHN HOPPER—Flowers large, very regular and full; brilliant rose, changing to bright, glowing pink, shaded with rich crimson; profuse bloomer.

LOUIS VAN HOUTTE—Brilliant vinous crimson; large, full and fragrant; an excellent sort and one that we recommend most highly.

MAD. ALFRED CARRIERE—Extra large, full flowers; very double and sweet; rich, creamy-white, faintly tinged with pale yellow.

MARSHALL P. WILDER—Flowers large, semi-globular, full and of good substance; bright scarlet-crimson, richly shaded with maroon.

CANDEUR LYONNAISE—Pure snow white. Enormous size and fine form. Good healthy grower. As good, if not a better rose than Frau Karl Druschki. Price two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each by express.

Price of all Roses, first size plants, on this page, except where otherwise noted, 30c each; any 2 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, by express, all on own roots; 85c each; \$8.50 per dozen, or 95c each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.



THE GREAT AMERICAN BEAUTY ROSES

If any Rose has earned the title of the "National Rose," it is American Beauty. Wherever the Rose is known, it is the queen, and deservedly so. In size, color, form and fragrance it has no equal. Of quick, healthy, bushy growth, either in pots or outdoors, with magnificent foliage, it produces in abundance glorious buds and large, deep, double flowers of immense size. The three kinds below make a gorgeous combination. Known as Hybrid Perpetual or June Roses, yet they bloom almost as freely as the Hybrid Teas. Hardy, and will grow and bloom anywhere.

***CRIMSON AMERICAN BEAUTY**—Color, rich crimson, charmingly shaded and veined. As the flowers expand, their beauty seems to be enhanced rather than diminished. The fragrance is not excelled by any Rose known.

***PINK AMERICAN BEAUTY (George Arends)**—A rose that we predict will soon become as popular as Druschki. Either grown inside or out in the open ground so far we find absolutely no fault in it. Strong, robust grower, making a sturdy bush, as the now famous "White American Beauty" or Frau Karl grower, free bloomer and absolutely hardy everywhere. The color delicate pink, deliciously fragrant.



Frau Karl Druschki or White American Beauty

***WHITE AMERICAN BEAUTY (Frau Karl Druschki)**—This brilliant white type Rose has become renowned as the very highest type of its class and the best snow-white Rose ever introduced. It is an extraordinarily strong grower, branching freely, and has the vigor and hardiness of an oak. Large, heavy foliage and magnificent flowers that are nothing less than glorious—immense in size and produced with great freedom on long, stiff stems. The color is marvelously white, without a tinge of yellow or any other shade. Hardy everywhere. Grown on its own roots.



Crimson American Beauties

Price of American Beauty Rose in extra strong first size plants, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; extra heavy two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen; \$1.10 each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots.

Special Offer One of each, American Beauties, three in all, in first size plants, postpaid, for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, \$2.75 by express, charges collect. Specimen or star size, \$1.25 each, by express.



Dingee Hardy

Climbing Roses

Hardy Climbing Roses have the popular call. They have become an absolute necessity for beautifying the home, for training over porches, verandas, trellises and pergolas, and they make most beautiful flowering hedges when trained on low supports. Also when grown as individual specimen plants, as they soon form a beautiful bush more ornamental than many hardy shrubs. They can be kept trimmed into any shape or height desired, and thus make a large, handsome bush Rose. No other concern offers such a complete list of Climbing Roses as we. All the Climbing Roses in our unequaled list are on their own roots—a most vital point in a Climbing Rose. Unlike budded stock, once planted they last a lifetime. Some are absolutely hardy in the coldest parts of the country, while others growing luxuriantly in the Middle and Southern Sections require some slight protection in the North. The same high quality of stock distinguishing Dingee Roses, the same care in propagation and growing makes this class a most important one in our business.

*Climbing

American Beauty

American Beauty is perhaps the best known, most popular and impressive Rose in cultivation. Big, gloriously rich in fragrance, the flowers are simply superb. Every Rose expert has longed to produce this Queen of Beauty in climbing form through the delicate science of hybridizing and cross breeding. This is no ordinary Climbing Rose, but is a vigorous, rampant, climbing type of the real American Beauty, with its gorgeous flowers and its surpassing fragrance. Immense blooms measuring 3 to 4 inches in diameter; and each one is invariably produced on a separate stem. The color is glowing crimson red, the real American Beauty color. The foliage is magnificent and is an important feature in climbing Roses, for without healthy, leathery foliage any climbing Rose is a failure, because it is unsightly. Climbing American Beauty has tough, beautiful, glossy green foliage, which in itself is ornamental and retains its brightness during the entire season. Absolutely hardy in all localities and withstands the rigid winters of a temperature 10 to 25 degrees below zero without protection. Equally satisfactory in the warmer southern climates. For single specimens, for pergolas, for climbing over verandas, or any place that an ordinary vine will grow, Climbing American Beauty will thrive. It does not require any petting or coaxing.

Remember, every plant is pot grown, and unlike stock sold by nursery agents, is on its own roots. Once planted, it practically lasts forever.

Prune each spring as much as desired, keeping it shaped as required. Train the growing shoots in any shape and it will make a great sight.



Climbing American Beauty

PAUL'S CARMINE PILLAR—Very early. The flowers are large and very showy, of a rich rosy-carmine with white eye. Price—First size plants, 35c each; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each.

BESS LOVETT—Resembles Climbing American Beauty in shape of bloom, but is very much brighter in color and much more fragrant. The flowers are clear bright red, of good size, and of double, full, cupped form, lasting a long time in good condition. Beautiful in bud and bloom and the most fragrant of the Climbing Roses. A vigorous grower and free bloomer. The large glossy foliage, like that of Silver Moon, greatly enhances the beauty of the flowers.

***MARY WALLACE**—Hardy Climber or pillar rose making a fine, strong self-supporting plant 6 to 8 feet high, with large glossy foliage, blooming with great freedom in spring and bearing a considerable number of fine buds in summer and fall. Flowers very large, usually exceeding 4 inches across; well formed semi-double, of a bright clear rose-pink with salmon base to the petals. Hardy in any location, having been tested in New York and New England. Price, first size plants, 30c each, 4 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each by express collect. All grown on own roots.

Prices—Strong, one-year-old plants, on this page except where otherwise noted 30c each, 4 for \$1.00 postpaid; strong, vigorous, two-year-old plants, 85c each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen, by express; 95c each, by parcel post prepaid, with soil on roots; still larger specimen plants, \$1.25 each, by express.



HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

Paul's Scarlet Climber

Paul's Scarlet Climber—Vivid scarlet shaded slightly crimson, but almost a flaming scarlet, a most pleasing and striking color. Makes a brilliant display for a long time in the garden. The petals do not fade like many climbing Roses, but retain their bright color, and remain in bloom for from two to four weeks. The Rose received the gold medal and cup for the best Climbing Rose at the National Rose Society's exhibit.

At the Rose Society's Test Garden at Arlington, D. C., conducted by and in conjunction with the Agriculture Department at Washington where the American Rose Society held their annual meeting last spring the most prominent and attracted more attention than any other was Paul's Scarlet Climber. Two specimens trained to trellises made a wonderful show, while two that had been kept pruned as a bush Rose were magnificent specimens; covered with their bright handsome full double blooms. At that time they had been in bloom some two weeks and were still the bright color while many more buds had not opened.

President S. S. Pennock, Society of American Florists, reports from the Bagatelle Gardens, Paris, where he was one of the judges at the Rose gardens which is as follows:

"In the climbers Paul's Scarlet Climber stood out in the garden by far the best among the climbers and they said that it had been in bloom for over two weeks, was still in fine shape and attracted the public probably more than any other one rose in the garden. There were several plants of Paul's Scarlet Climber, and one group of four plants, trained up in pyramid shape, made a wonderful show. This is rather an attractive way to train Climbers, especially where they are as free bloomers as Paul's Scarlet Climber, which presented almost a solid, vivid red mass."

A good strong grower and soon makes a good display. Foliage good and free from mildew and diseases, as well as insects.

These sterling qualities will soon win for it a reputation far beyond that enjoyed at one time by the old Crimson Rambler. After done blooming its bright foliage will make it a most desirable rose.

Price of strong first size plants from 2½-inch pots, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00 postpaid; two-year-old plants, 90c each; \$9.00 per dozen by express at purchaser's expense or \$1.00 each; \$10.00 dozen by parcel post prepaid with soil on the roots same as by express. Large specimen plants by express, \$1.50 each. All plants grown on their own roots.

***VEILCHEN BLAU, or Violet Blue**—The Blue Rose is one of the most rampant growers we have ever seen, covering a large porch in a single season. The flowers are borne in loose clusters and are a delightful shade of blue—something entirely different from any Rose now in cultivation.



Paul's Scarlet Climber

Alberic Barbier

A Great New Yellow Climbing Rose. Free from insect attacks, beautiful, heavy, waxy foliage. The beautiful yellow flowers are unusually full and double, and produced sometimes singly and sometimes in clusters with utmost freedom. All plants grown on own roots.

DR. ROBERT HUEY, H. W.—Buds and flowers medium size, semi-double to single in clusters of 3 or 4 on good stems. Can be used as a tall bush or pillar rose. Flowers similar to Paul's Scarlet Climber but color is a dark crimson of great brilliancy. Stamens and anthers light yellow.

MARY LOVETT—In this Dr. Van Fleet has brought out another Wichuraiana Hybrid, a cross between a seedling Wichuraiana and Kaiserin Augusta Victoria and termed a "White Dr. Van Fleet." This rose has done well during 1916 and is strongly recommended. Loses foliage early.

Price of all Hardy Climbing Roses offered on this page, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express. \$7.50 per doz., of one or more varieties, or 85c each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size, \$1.25 each.



HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued



*Christine Wright

A cross between Mad. Caroline Testout and an unknown seedling. Has the constitution of an oak, with thick, leathery, dark green foliage, practically immune from insects

or disease. Blooms are produced singly and in large clusters, each bloom perfect in form and from 3 to 4 inches in diameter. Color an exquisite shade of bright wild-rose pink.

***KEYSTONE**—Perfectly hardy everywhere, blooms in wonderful profusion. The open flower of Keystone is perfectly double, with buds beautifully formed. It is a deep lemon-yellow Rose, similar to Coquette de Lyon. The fragrance is much like that of magnolia blossoms.

CLIMBING WHITE PET—Snow-white.

PRIDE OF WASHINGTON—Bright amaranth, shaded rose center; double clusters.

***LADY GAY**—Flowers of a delicate cherry-pink, which fades to a soft white; deep green foliage.

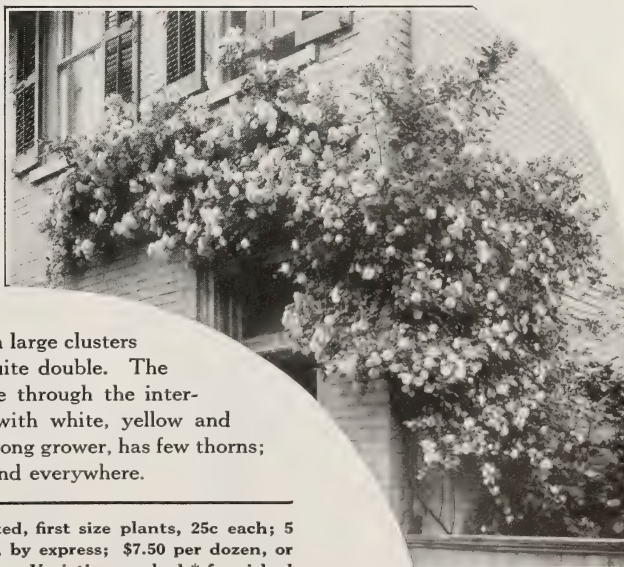
***GAINSBOROUGH**—An extremely beautiful Rose, delicately tinted flesh, almost white, and lustrous as satin.

AVIATEUR BLERIOT—Saffron-yellow, center golden-yellow; full and double, flowering in clusters.

TENNESSEE BELLE—Bright rosy blush; large, full and fragrant.

*A Thousand Beauties

German Tausendschoen. The most sensational Climbing Rose yet introduced, not even barring Crimson Rambler. A single cluster of flowers is a bouquet in itself; hence the very fitting name, "Thousand Beauties." Blooming profusely from the beginning of June until the last of July, the flowers appear in large clusters (10 to 15 in a cluster) of splendid size and quite double. The colors run from delicate balsam to tender rose through the intermediate shades of bright rose and carmine, with white, yellow and various other indescribable tints showing. A strong grower, has few thorns; impervious to mildew; hardy in the open ground everywhere.



Thousand Beauty

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HARDY CLIMBING ROSES— Continued

*Birdie Bly

One of the freest blooming hardy Climbers that we know of today. Bushes here bloom five or six times each season. Perfectly hardy everywhere. Good strong grower. Foliage bright glossy green and free from insects or disease. Blooms full and double as per illustration, and over three inches in diameter. Color a bright carmine, changing to a bright satiny rose. Very fragrant.



The Exquisite Bloom of
Birdie Bly

***DR. W. VAN FLEET**—Flowers when open run four inches and over in diameter. The center is built high, petals beautifully undulated and cupped. The color is a remarkable shade of flesh-pink on the outer surface, deepening to a rosy-flesh in the center. The flowers are full and double, of delicate perfume; buds pointed. It very much resembles Souv. de Pres. Carnot in color. Strong, rapid grower. Immune from insects and disease. Foliage deep green the entire season.

SOURCE D'OR—A golden yellow with large double flowers. Strong rank grower. Absolutely hardy.

MINNEHAHA—A charming double satiny pink-flowering Rambler of a most pleasing color. Flowers are borne in clusters; foliage glossy green.

LADY GODIVA—A magnificent white sport from Dorothy Perkins, with flowers growing in splendid clusters and of remarkably vigorous growth and handsome foliage. Dark green foliage and free from ravages of insects or disease.

GOLDFINCH—A new, hardy climbing Rose which will shortly become one of the leaders. It is of the Rambler type and bears a wondrous profusion of lemon-yellow, semi-double flowers in large trusses. The buds are beautiful deep yellow. Hardy and everblooming.

AUNT HARRIET—In full bloom, it is amazingly fine with its masses of dazzling scarlet-crimson Roses loading every branch. The bright effect is intensified by the pure white centers and brilliant golden anthers which shine out when the flowers are fully open. Awarded Certificate of Merit, American Rose Society.

The Rambler Roses

This great family of Climbing Roses has become so well and favorably known that we do not consider extended description necessary. The various Rambler Roses are absolutely essential to the modern Rose garden. All these Rambler Roses are hardy throughout the country, and our own root stock once planted becomes permanent.

PHILADELPHIA CRIMSON RAMBLER—This now famous variety differs from the old Crimson Rambler in having brighter, deeper and more intense crimson color. Earlier than the Crimson Rambler and entirely free from mildew. Flowers perfectly double and of excellent substance.

***CRIMSON RAMBLER (The Rose of the Masses)**—One-year plants will attain a height of 10 to 20 feet in a single season, and the second year they will continue to produce a marvelous profusion of rich

and glowing crimson flowers in large clusters. It presents a vivid crimson mass of beauty when in full bloom, during June and July. It is absolutely hardy everywhere.

YELLOW RAMBLER (Aglaia)—Flowers are deep golden yellow and very fragrant.

WHITE RAMBLER (Thalia)—Flowers pure white, sometimes tinted with blush.

PINK RAMBLER—Large trusses of brilliant carmine flowers. Very popular.

***FLOWER OF FAIRFIELD**—A rampant climber, it bears enormous clusters of brilliant crimson flowers. Introduced as and sometimes called the Everblooming Crimson Rambler. Blooms the second and third time each season.

Prices of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 75c each, by express; \$7.50 per dozen, or 85c each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size, \$1.25 each.



HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

*Excelsa (Red Dorothy Perkins)

New and distinct Rambler of remarkable merit. A remarkable grower, free from insects and producing a great quantity of blooms of crimson-maroon with tips of the petals scarlet. Flowers full and double and thirty or forty produced on a stem. The undesirable features of the Crimson Rambler, the unsightly foliage, is eliminated in this Rose by the infusion of Wichuriana blood.

***EMPRESS OF CHINA**—The Apple Blossom Rose. Soft dark red, changing to light pink like an apple blossom.

NORTHERN LIGHT—Strong, upright grower, bearing quantities of beautiful pink and white Roses of various shades and combinations of color. Quite double.

HIAWATHA—Single, deep, intense crimson shade; petals shading pure white at the base. Foliage light glossy green.

GREVILLE, OR SEVEN SISTERS—Flowers in large clusters; varies from white to crimson.

PRAIRIE QUEEN—A true perpetual bloomer, bearing flowers continuously throughout the season. Very fragrant; dark carmine Rose; large and very double; borne in clusters. Perfectly hardy.

CLIMBING FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI—Glistening white flowers, magnificent, large, fresh green foliage; hardy everywhere. First size, 35c each; 3 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 95c each.

POM POM—Splendid, strong; climbing habit; producing clusters of beautiful double, shining pink. We are the only house offering this exclusive novelty.

SUPERBA—Bright rosy pink, clear and beautiful. Blooms in clusters.

WHITE BANKSIA—Pure White, violet-scented flowers; perfectly double.

YELLOW BANKSIA—Fine clear yellow; very full and beautiful.

Prices on all Roses on this page, except where noted: First size plants, 25c each; any 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75c; \$7.50 per dozen of one or more varieties, or 85c each by parcel post with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in specimen or star size, \$1.25 each.

*Dorothy Perkins

The Brilliant Pink Rambler Rose. Flowers are borne in large clusters, are very double, with prettily crinkled petals; remarkably pretty pointed buds, beautiful clear shell-pink in color, lasting a long time without fading. The bush is perfectly hardy in all localities, a rapid and thrifty grower, bearing its wondrous flowers in great clusters.

***AMERICAN PILLAR**—Of extremely vigorous habit of growth, the bushes being clothed in lively green from earliest spring until late in the fall. The flowers are produced in profusion, fairly covering the bush, color bright pink. In the fall, the red berries, which are highly-ornamental.

***WHITE DOROTHY**—It is a rampant grower, and in a short time will cover a large trellis. The flowers are of a brilliant glistening white.

NEWPORT FAIRY—A strong, sturdy grower, with healthy bright green foliage. Lovely single deep pink flowers, shaded lighter in center.

SILVER MOON—Blooms very large, four or more inches in diameter, pure white in color and of good substance, beautifully cupped, forming a clematis-like flower. The large bunch of yellow stamens in the center makes it very attractive.

Keep Your Roses Growing by using D. & C. Rose Fertilizer as offered on page 54.



The Great Climbing Rose Excelsa



Dingee Hardy Climbing Hybrid Tea Roses

The Roses on this page are noted for the exquisite beauty of their flowers, rivaling, as they do, those of the Hybrid Tea class. They are all wonderfully strong growing, hardy and vigorous and in constant bloom all summer. In the middle sections of the country and in the Northwest they thrive and bloom most luxuriantly, while in the warmer sections they fairly run riot in their glory of growth and bloom. Even in the coldest Northern States they grow to perfection, but will require some slight protection in winter.

Climbing Pink Killarney

It blooms continuously throughout the season, and the flowers are magnificent beyond description, immense, long, pointed buds with massive petals, opening into flowers of enormous size; color deep pink, bright and sparkling, an exquisite shade, deliciously fragrant; in fact, one of the greatest new Roses we have ever offered.

CLIMBING WHITE KILLARNEY—An exact counterpart of the bush Rose White Killarney, but a vigorous climber. Produces blooms of purest white of same formation, and on single stems the same as the bush Rose.

CLIMBING MY MARYLAND—This is the climbing type of the well-known Hybrid Tea Rose, "My Maryland," and has all the desirable features of its parent, with a remarkable climbing tendency, growing 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Color bright salmon-pink with paler edges, beautifully dark veined; delightfully fragrant, and the finest blooms of any Rose we have yet seen. Price, large two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express. All grown on own roots, good, clean, healthy stock.

*Climbing Pink Maman Cochet

A pure Maman Cochet Rose of the climbing habit. As free blooming as the Cochets, which will without doubt make it a very valuable addition to the climbing roses, sufficiently hardy to withstand the vigor of the northern winters with some protection, and blooming throughout the growing season.

CLIMBING LADY HILLINGDON—A true Lady Hillingdon Rose of the climbing habit. The blooms are identical with the bush variety of this same name, but the plant is a strong, vigorous grower, producing its buds, and blooms throughout the growing season with great profusion. As hardy as the bush rose of this name. Price, 50c each for first size plants; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each.

CLIMBING WOOTON—Superbly formed flowers in wonderful profusion, of bright magenta-red passing to violet crimson, richly shaded.



Bloom of Climbing Killarney

***CLIMBING CLOTILDE SOUPERT**—Produces cluster after cluster of the most finely formed flowers, large, round, perfectly double, with beautiful imbricated petals, the color of which is delightful. The color is ivory-white, shading toward the center to silvery rose.

CLIMBING HELEN GOULD—The growth is sturdy, the foliage grand, the flowers warm, rosy crimson, sometimes beautifully striped, flamed and shaded in bright carmine, over pale rose.

CLIMBING MRS. GEO. SHAWYER—This valuable addition to the climbing roses is offered for the first time this season. Buds and blooms just as handsome as the bush variety. Price, first size plants 50c each; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express. All on own roots.

NEW CLIMBING CRIMSON BABY RAMBLER—A hardy climbing Rose combining the everblooming qualities of the famous Crimson Baby Rambler Roses, with a climbing habit which makes it one of the best of all Roses for porch or pergola adornment.

Prices of all Roses on this page, except where noted, first size plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each, by express; \$8.50 per dozen, or 95c each by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size, \$1.25 each.



HARDY CLIMBING ROSES—Continued

*Mrs. Robert Peary

The Great White, Hardy, Everblooming, Climbing Rose. Introduced by the Dingee & Conard Co.

A strong and rapid grower, coming to perfection in the open ground. It is as hardy as any Hybrid Perpetual or Moss Rose and will withstand the most severe winters unprotected. Small plants of Mrs. Robert Peary will bloom continuously throughout the season and the flowers are magnificent beyond description. The buds are long and pointed, finely modeled and gracefully finished, while the fragrance is indeed delicious. The flowers, when open, are of splendid substance, extra large, deep and double, produced on long, stiff stems.

*CLIMBING COL. R. S. WILLIAMSON—A sport from the Hybrid Tea Rose of the same name, but a remarkable grower. Magnificent blooms on long single stems, full and double. Color exquisite shade of soft rich carmine. In bloom all summer. Hardy in all localities.

*CLIMBING METEOR—A superb ever-blooming climbing Rose. A sport from Meteor, famous for its magnificent flowers. True climbing habit, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. Free, persistent bloomer, with magnificently formed buds and flowers. Dark velvety crimson, the equal of any Rose in cultivation. Hardy with protection.

CLIMBING SUNBURST—Orange copper and golden yellow flowers of large size and perfectly formed handsome buds. Strong grower. Profuse bloomer. Price, first size plants, 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.25 each, by express collect. All on own roots.

CLIMBING PAPA GONTIER—This new climber has all the superior merits of its parent and bearing in the greatest profusion all the summer the same handsome, deep crimson flowers. Perfectly hardy.

CLIMBING MAD. CAROLINE TESTOUT—Same as the bush variety, except a vigorous climber. Hardy. Color a satiny rose, deepening toward the center.

CLIMBING LADY ASHTOWN—Strong, rapid grower, producing large, delicate pink flowers in abundance.

Wichuraiana Roses

All are new Wichuraiana Hybrids of American origin, hardy in all sections, and are literally Tea Roses with climbing or trailing habit and undeniable hardiness. All bloom in clusters. All Roses under this heading, 20c each; any 3 for 50c, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 65c each, by express; \$6.50 per dozen.

Debutante—Beautiful soft pink flowers.

Farquhar—Clusters of bright pink; double.

Gardenia—Very fragrant; creamy yellow.

Improved Universal Favorite—Brilliant pink.

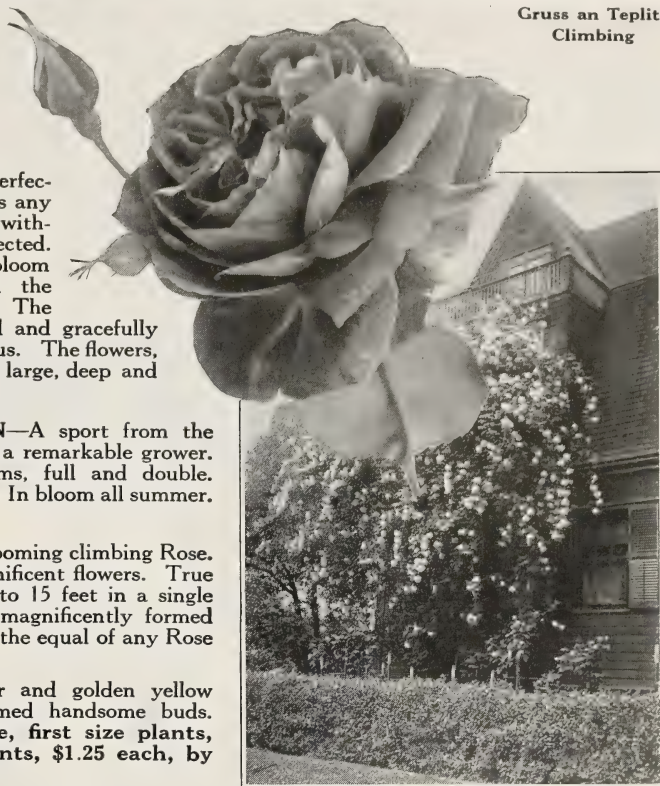
Jersey Beauty—Pale yellow, bright stamens.

Wichuraiana—Single; pure white; fragrant.

Wm. C. Egan—Beautiful shade of rose.

Sweetheart—Pink, turning to blush-white.

Gruss an Teplitz
Climbing



*Climbing Gruss an Teplitz

(Or Virginia R. Coxe.) A valuable addition to this class of Roses so rapidly coming into popularity on account of their blooming qualities. This is an exact counterpart of the blush Rose Gruss an Teplitz, but a vigorous climber, attaining a height of 10 to 15 feet in a single season. When it first blooms in the spring it is a dazzling sheet of velvety crimson. Each bloom is produced singly on long stems, the same as the bush variety so well known. It produces blooms throughout the growing season. Hardy as an Oak, withstanding the severest winters without any protection of any kind.

CLIMBING OPHILEA—Same as the bush variety, but a rank climber. Blooming with the greatest freedom during the growing season. Hardy everywhere. Price, first size plants 50c each, postpaid; two-year-old plants, \$1.50 each, by express. All on own roots.

Prices of all Roses on this page, except otherwise noted, strong one-year plants, 30c each; 4 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old plants, 85c each; \$8.50 per dozen, by express; by parcel post prepaid with soil on roots, 95c each. Variety marked * furnished in large specimen or star size at \$1.25 each.



Marchal Niel, the most brilliant yellow Climbing Rose in existence.

Climbing Tea and Noisette Roses

These are the Roses which make such a glorious display in the warmer sections of the country, covering porches, pergolas and trellises with their handsome foliage and gorgeous flowers.

Those marked H. will be found hardy even in the coldest climate if given protection during the winter, while those marked M. H. are moderately hardy and especially valuable for open ground culture south of Philadelphia and in California.

*Climbing White Maman Cochet

The exquisite white flowers, every one of which is a perfect specimen of the White Maman Cochet Rose, are borne in great profusion, fairly covering the plant all summer, for it is one of the most constant bloomers of all the white climbing Roses. It is absolutely hardy, except in the extreme North, where it requires some slight protection. It is a strong, vigorous grower, throwing up strong canes 15 to 20 feet long in a single season.

BALTIMORE BELLE—Pale blush, variegated carmine-rose and white. Very double flowers in beautiful clusters.

***JAMES SPRUNT** (M. H.)—Deep cherry-red, double.

GOLD OR OPHIR (M. H.)—Nasturtium-yellow, suffused with coppery-red.

LAMARQUE (M. H.)—Light canary-yellow.

***MARE-
CHAL
NIEL**—

This is the wonderful garden Rose our friends in the Southland are so fortunate in being able to grow in their gardens to perfection, and which yields such splendid returns if given

slight protection and care in the North. Buds and flowers superb, extra large, very double and deliciously perfumed. Deep golden yellow. Blooms with greatest freedom. In the North, should have very careful protection in open ground during winter.

CHROMATELLA (Cloth of Gold) (M. H.)—Bright yellow.

CLIMBING DEVONIENSIS (H.)—White, tinged with blush.

FORTUNE'S DOUBLE YELLOW (M. H.)—Bronzed yellow or coppery and fawn color.

SOLFATERRE (M. H.)—Climbing habit; fine, clear, sulphur-yellow; large, full and double.

WILLIAM ALLEN RICHARDSON (M. H.)—Coppery-yellow, flushed with carmine.

ALLISTER STELLA GRAY—Light yellow.

PILLAR OF GOLD—Rosy pink, base yellow.

CLIMBING BRIDESMAID—Clear, dark pink.

CLIMBING MARIE GUILLOT—Pure snow-white, tinged with pale yellow.

***CLIMBING CECILE BRUNER**—Color rosy pink, rich, creamy-white ground. Needs protection.

STRIPED REINE MARIE HENRIETTE—Striped and flamed in bright carmine and pale rose.

WHITE MARECHAL NIEL—Identical with its parent, Yellow Marchal Niel, but pure white.

ZEPHERIN DROUAT—Flowers very large and double, of fine, bright rose color.

GLOIRE DE DIJON (H.)—Rich creamy white, beautifully tinged with amber and pale blush.

MARY WASHINGTON (H.)—Pure white; perfectly double; borne in large clusters.

REINE MARIE HENRIETTE (H.)—Extra large flowers, glowing crimson.

Price of all Roses on this page, strong plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old plants, 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen, by express, of one or more varieties; or 85c each by parcel post, with soil on roots. Varieties marked * furnished in large specimen or star size at \$1.25 each.

The Dingee & Conard Co.,
West Grove, Pa.
Gentlemen:—

Will you kindly send me your latest catalog of Roses? My friend Mr. S. R. Moore, Youngstown, Ohio, has bought Roses of you and says he has had the best results with your stock of any he has ever handled.

Yours very truly,
Dr. T. H. Wilson.

Warren, Ohio.
June 19, 1923.



Magnificent Dingee Chrysanthemums

Since the introduction of these lovely autumn-flowering plants into Europe, some two hundred years ago, they have been developed to a wonderful extent. Those who have in mind the small, old garden varieties cannot imagine the exquisite beauty of the newer sorts. They produce enormous, massive flowers of most beautiful colors and perfect shape. Their culture is the easiest. See "How to Grow Them" on circular enclosed, and if further information is desired, it will be furnished upon application. Our collection contains the best and most beautiful of the newer varieties, as well as the choicest of the standard sorts. We offer them at prices within the reach of all, as we would like to see them growing in every garden and in every home.

Price—Strong, healthy pot plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Chrysolora—One of the best yellow. Fine, incurved form, with perfect stem and foliage.

Black Hawk—Late. Dark velvety crimson.

Dr. Enguehard—Beautiful true pink. Ball shape.

Chas. Rager—Early. A pure white variety of special merit.

Major Bonaffon—Golden-yellow. Ball shaped. Petals beautifully overlapping.

Sun Glow—Bright yellow. Fine large flowers.

Pacific Supreme—Pink; large handsome.

Robert Halliday—Yellow; large size.

Betsy Ross—Midseason. Incurved pure white.

Unaka—Early. Large pink.

White Chieftain—Midseason. Sturdy grower, a pleasing shade of light pink.

Oconto—Early midseason white. Large handsome blooms.

Golden Glory—Bright golden yellow. Early. Immense perfect flowers.

White Surprise—Late white.

Harvest Home—Deep bronzy yellow. Excellent.

Whittier—Handsome golden yellow. Incurve.

Pink Chieftain—Midseason. Pleasing pink.

Cranfordia. Very early. Deep bronzy yellow.

White Patty—Late white.

Tints of Gold—Very attractive golden bronze.



Dingee Chrysanthemum



Pompom Chrysanthemum

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These are entirely hardy and produce hundreds of button like perfectly double flowers, making an excellent show. Last until late in the autumn. We offer the choicest varieties only. Price—Strong plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Lillian Doty—Shell pink.

Mrs. Wm. Buckingham—Single. Rosy pink.

Edina—Beautiful rose pink.

Christmas Gold—Very bright yellow. Flowers about one inch in diameter.

Leilah—Rose pink.

Special Offer—One of each of the 12 Pompoms for \$1.50 postpaid.

Fairy Queen—Rose pink.

Baby—Small. Yellow.

Iva—Amber. Medium size.

Klondyke—Brilliant yellow. Compact blooms.

Miramar—Bronze. Fine form.

Godfrey—Late; light pink.

Diana—Late; pure white.

American Wonder Lemon

Largest Edible Lemon in the World—actual weight 2 lbs.

Large, dark green foliage; handsome, pure white flowers, nearly as large as tuberosa blooms, fragrant as orange blossoms. The lemons have a thin rind for such large fruit, and are full of rich, acid juice. The plants will produce their magnificent, large fruit under ordinary cultivation the second year, and will prove a source of genuine delight. **Strong plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; heavy two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, postpaid.** **OTAHEITE ORANGE**—A dwarf reproduction of the genuine fruit-bearing orange tree, the flowers being identical. It flowers and fruits in pots and blooms continuously. Fragrance is delicious. Fruits immediately after flowering. Fruit measures about three inches in diameter and is edible. **Strong young plants, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00; large two-year-old plants, \$1.00 each, postpaid.**



Bed of Famous West Grove Cannas

Dingee Magnificent Everblooming Cannas

The introduction of these wonderful decorative plants in this country is so woven into the history of West Grove that it is known far and near as the home of magnificent plants. Starting back many years ago when we first introduced the Canna Flamingo, at that time considered the finest flower of the kind, and when Dr. Van Fleet, now connected with the Horticultural Department at Washington, was in our employ. Since that time wonderful improvement has been obtained in the development of new varieties, such as increasing the size of heads and individual flowers, the color of the blooms, the size of the plants and the length of the blooming period, all of which has increased the popularity of the gorgeous flowers. Cannas are easily grown, and will thrive in almost any situation.

Cannas are not hardy and should not be planted until danger of frost is past. Take the roots up in the fall and store them in a warm, dry place.

No flowers will make such an attractive bed. Rapid in growth, freedom of bloom and ornamental foliage makes them so desirable for planting in beds, on lawn or yard, and especially after early blooming bulbs are done.

Best New Cannas

AMERICAN BEAUTY—Height 5 ft. Said to be the richest colored Canna known, a velvety carmine cerise. With its large flower heads is unusually attractive. Every stalk produces two heads of bloom well above the soft green foliage. Price 50c each for well started pot plants ready to set out.

PRESIDENT—Considered by all to be the best red variety yet introduced. Produces immense heads of glowing crimson flowers, 7 inches across the open bloom, on strong, erect stalks well above the foliage; 4 feet in height.

MRS. WOODROW WILSON—Light green foliages veined. Color a rich but soft crimson pink with very large flowers, with broad, overlapping petals.

PANAMA—The orange-red petals are bordered with a broad edge of golden yellow. Flowers large and overlapping. Free bloomer.

KING HUMBERT—A glorious Canna. The finest we have ever seen. Grows to a height of about 5 feet. Immense dark bronze foliage with great heads of orange-scarlet flowers, striped crimson.

GOLDEN GATE—3½ feet. Blooms when opening are almost pure gold, but soon change to orange-crimson and apricot, with deep carmine red at throat. Very striking.

WINTZER'S COLOSSAL—4 feet. The gorgeous, vivid scarlet blooms produced all summer long. Blooms retain their color during the hottest weather.

CITY OF PORTLAND—3 feet. Beautiful shade of deep pink, deeper color than its parent, Mrs. Alfred Conard. Blooms produced in marvelous profusion.

LAFAYETTE—3½ feet. Immense heads of intense scarlet blooms. One of the finest crimson varieties.

YELLOW KING HUMBERT—4 feet. A sport from the bronze foliage variety of the same name, but with blooms of yellow dotted with red, and green foliage. So far has proved equally as good as King Humbert.

SNOW QUEEN—Height 4 feet. Flower six inches across, with rounded petals 2½ inches broad, of firm texture and having faint dots of flesh pink on the petals, but produces a snow white effect. Vigorous grower and free bloomer. Pot plants, 50c each, postpaid.

FIREBIRD—The trusses are very large, compact and showy; with nicely rounded petals, 2½ or more inches wide. The color is extremely desirable, being absolutely pure scarlet with no suffusion of streaks or blotches. 3 to 4 feet.

OLYMPIC—Gigantic heads. Rich oriental red, with a lighter shade toward the center.

METEOR—A brilliant new crimson Canna of unusual merit. Green foliage, massive blooms.

MRS. ALFRED F. CONARD—4 feet. Color, a beautiful shade of salmon-pink. Flowers of immense size. Producing blooms so freely as to make a continuous show for several months.

ROSEA GIGANTEA—3 to 4 feet. A magnificent showy Canna of a rose to carmine-pink shade. Flower heads of immense size.

HUNGARIAN DWARF—About 3 feet. Color a dazzling Rose pink.

BUTTERCUP—Bright, buttercup-yellow; extra large. Three feet.

All Cannas furnished in big, strong, pot-grown plants, ready to bloom.

Price, strong pot plants, except where otherwise noted, 25c each, 6 for \$1.25, postpaid; \$2.50 dozen.



Dingee Decorative Ferns

Use a soil composed of five parts; two parts of good garden soil, two parts of finely screened peat or leaf mold from the woods, and one part sharp, clean sand. This should then be thoroughly sterilized by putting in an oven and baking in order to destroy earth worms, etc. Place some broken pieces of pots or crocks and some charcoal in the bottom of each pot for drainage. A temperature of not less than 55 degrees F. should be maintained at all times, with a rise in the daytime of 10 degrees to 15 degrees. Judgment should be exercised in watering. On warm days they should be syringed at least twice. Never allow them to become too dry. Insects which are most troublesome are thrips, red spider, scale and mealy bug. Thrips, red spider and mealy bug are easily prevented by a properly moistened atmosphere, also by spraying of foliage once a week with tobacco water, made in the consistency of weak tea, and increased or diminished in strength as occasion demands.

TEDDY, JR.—New dwarf Fern. Fronds are broad and beautifully tapered from the base to the tip, drooping just enough to make a graceful plant. Produces nearly four times as many fronds as any other Fern introduced. Compact, and thrives under any condition.

ROOSEVELT—Resembles the Boston Fern, but produces many more fronds, thus making a handsomer and bushier plant; in fact, it today is more popular with the florists than the Boston; it will make a larger plant in a shorter time. The fronds are beautifully undulated, giving it a very pretty rising effect.

JACKSONII—Extremely strong grower. Resembling Sword Fern, quickly forming large, upright plant.

WHITMANI COMPACTA—This is a condensed form of the "Ostrich Plume Fern," with valuable characteristics added which are not evident in the parent, the pinnae subdividing, making miniature fronds, looking as if two or more were condensed in one. Very graceful.

THE BOSTON FERN—This Fern differs from the ordinary Sword Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of six feet, drooping gracefully over the side of the pot or jardiniere, and on this account it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit adapts this variety for growing as a single specimen for a table or pedestal. Equally good for outdoors during the summer as well as a decorative plant for indoors during winter.

WHITMANII (Ostrich Plume Fern)—More of a dwarf habit than the Boston Fern. The fronds are of entirely different nature. Each frond is subdivided on the order of the Compacta Fern, thus producing a very beautiful effect. Very decorative.

MAIDENHAIR FERN (Adiantum cuneatum)—The best known table Fern, with dainty, lacy fronds, unlike any other.

Price of all Ferns in extra strong pot plants, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00; large plants from 4-and 5-inch pots, 75c each, postpaid.



Maiden Hair Fern



Whitmanii Fern

Dingee Special Lawn Grass Seed

It produces a smooth, velvety green sward of attractive appearance. Sow the seed carefully and evenly at the rate of one quart to a space equal to 15 x 20 feet; two bushels will sow one acre. After sowing, cover the seed by raking or harrowing it.

Seeding may be done at any time during spring, summer or fall, but the best results are obtained by sowing during April, May, September or October. Where fall sowing is practical a top-dressing of manure is recommended to protect the roots of the young grass during the winter. In the spring the gross matter should be removed, leaving the surface clean. To renovate lawn, loosen the soil on the bare spots with a steel rake, and, after sowing a liberal quantity of seed, roll or rake again to cover the seed.

Price: by mail, 50c per pound; in bulk, by express, 45c per pound, 20 pounds or more.

STIM-O-PLANT

An All-the-Year Fertilizer for Garden and House Plants

Growers of fine flowers, shrubs and vegetables for the best markets and for exhibition fertilize and stimulate them frequently, a little at a time. An excellent fertilizer for this purpose is Stim-U-plant, an odorless, highly concentrated plant-food, in tablet form, with guaranteed chemical analysis of 11 per cent nitrogen, 12 per cent phosphoric acid, 15 per cent potash. The proportions are accurate, there is no wasted filler, and in this form you apply plant-food exactly when and where and as needed.

Especially Fine for Roses

These tablets increase production, heighten color and improve quality immediately. Many professional and amateur growers use them extensively all the year round—from early spring until late fall outdoors, during the winter for pot plants, hot-house benches, etc. They are as fine for trees as for all garden and potted plants.

EASY TO USE

Simply insert tablets in soil near plants, or dissolve in water at the rate of four tablets to the gallon and apply as liquid manure. Complete directions with every package.

Prices, postpaid: Small size 25 cts.; 100 tablets 75 cts.; 1,000 tablets, \$3.50.



Dingee Geranium

Miscellaneous Plants

ASPARGUS SPRENGERI—For pots, vases or hanging baskets. The long, slender branches droop most gracefully, clothed with feathery, emerald-green fronds. Strong plants, 15c each; 4 for 50c.

ASPARGUS PLUMOSUS—Foliage surpasses a Maidenhair fern; in grace and finish resembles the finest lace. Elegant for cutting; one of the best plants in our collection. 20c each; 3 for 50c.

NEW WEeping LANTANA—Beautiful for baskets, vases, pots or for outdoor culture and porch boxes. Produces its clear lilac-pink flowers by the hundreds from early summer until severe frosts. Deliciously fragrant. Has a most graceful habit of growth. 15c each; 4 for 50c.

SALVIA (Scarlet Sage)—Unequaled for dazzling show of fiery scarlet flowers until killed with frost. The great bedding plant. 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.

VINCA VARIEGATA—Beautiful trailing vine, bright green leaves bordered with creamy white. Fine for vases, hanging baskets and porch boxes. 15c each; 10 for \$1.00, postpaid.

COLEUS—We offer a grand collection of Coleus in the best named and mixed varieties, solid colors, striped, variegated and mottled. When ordering, state your preference as to color, and we will select accordingly. Price, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen; \$7.50 per 100.

CRINUM ORNATUM—This royal member of the Amaryllis family produces numerous spikes of large, fragrant, lily-like flowers, white, with deep pink stripe in the center of each petal. Prices, first size, about 9 to 11 inches circumference, 40c each; 3 for \$1.00. Second size, about 11 to 13 inches circumference, 50c each. Enormous bulbs, about 14 to 16 inches circumference, 75c each.

AMARYLLIS REGINA—Lily-like flowers in clusters. Light scarlet, with lighter throat. 15c each.

CALADIUM—ESCULENTUM (Elephants Ear)—A magnificent foliage plant, with immense leaves, often measuring 4 feet in length by 2 feet in breadth. Fine bulbs, 20c each. Larger size, 30c each.

Dingee Geraniums

Strong plants from 3-inch pots, single or double varieties, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, prepaid.

Selected Double Varieties

Alphonse Ricard—Semi-double; orange-red.
Mrs. Lawrence—An excellent bloomer. Soft salmon pink, tinged white.
Cousin Janie—Clear, rich pink, slightly spotted light red.
Jules Vasseur—Bright scarlet, white center.
Jean Viaud—Soft pink, white blotches.
Berthe de Priscilla—Dwarf habit. Fine bedder. Bright silver rose-pink.
John Doyle—Rich scarlet. Very effective.
Mme. Buchner—Snow-white; vigorous.
Recamier—Pure white. Strong grower. One of the best whites.
S. A. Nutt—Rich, dark crimson. Superb.
Jean Oberle—Peach pink, shaded white edge.
La Cid—Charming shade of cardinal-red.
Anais Segalas—Bright salmon. Zoned foliage.
Double Dryden—Coral white center; shading through a delicate lilac. Ideal pot plant.
Beaute Poitevine—Bright salmon-pink.
Dr. Despres—Changeable violet, marked vermilion.
Le Pilote—Glowing crimson-scarlet.
Double New Life—Outer flowers brilliant red, center pure white flowers.

Selected Single Varieties

La Favorite—Snowy-white, superb.
Mrs. E. G. Hill—Free bloomer. Light salmon.
Eugene Sue—Brilliant shade of russet orange.
L'Aube—One of the best pure whites.
Feuer—Brilliant crimson-red. Dwarf growth.
Baron Grubissich—Bright rose. Clear white center.
Clifton—Solid color of bright red.

Ivy-Leaved Geraniums

Price, strong plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.
Dina Scalarandis—Double white, tinged lilac.
Rycroft's Surprise—Beautiful shade of rich pink.
Mrs. Banks—Blush-white, upper petals feathered deep pink; semi-double.
Alliance—Delicate lilac-white, upper petals feathered and blotched crimson-rose.
Pierre Crozy—Bright scarlet; dwarf, compact habit.

Fancy and Sweet-scented Geraniums

Strong plants, 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen.
Madame Salleron—Green, dotted white.
Apple-Scented—A grand old favorite.
Rose-Scented—Delightful scent.
Lemon-Scented—Deliciously scented.

Giant Persian Cyclamen

The most beautiful and decorative of all pot plants. The foliage is dark olive-green, beautifully variegated with silver and rose. The fairy-like flowers are carried on long stems, produced for several successive months. The flowers, which are of odd form, embrace every delightful shade of color and are a distinctive feature of this handsome house plant. We offer splendid strong plants from 3-inch pots, in white, rose, crimson and mixed colors, at 35c each.

Lily-of-the-Valley

One of the most universally known and admired plants. The graceful spikes, with the dainty pure white bells, are a delight to the eye, and their delicate fragrance is exquisite. Plants succeed almost anywhere, but prefer a partly shaded situation and rich soil. For house culture, plant rather thickly in pots or boxes, scatter some moss or other light material over the soil, which must not cover the crown; water well and set away in a dark, cold place where they will not freeze or bury pot in ground for several days. When brought to heat and light after a few weeks, the leaves and flowers will soon appear. Ready for delivery in November. Strong-flowering crowns. Three for 25c, 75c per dozen, \$6.00 per 100, postpaid.



Dingee Dahlias

The splendid qualities and gorgeous beauty of the present-day Dahlia have won for it a place at the head of the most important garden plants. None are easier to grow, respond more readily to care and attention, or flower more freely. Few cultivated plants have a wider range of color. The brilliant shades and the free, fluffy, Chrysanthemum-like form of its flowers make an enchanting spectacle which never fails to attract attention. Plant soon as ground is warm in a moderately rich soil, covering the tubers six inches deep. Thin to one or two shoots. Cultivate well until it begins to bloom; after that stir only the surface soil just enough to prevent a crust forming.

New and Rare Dahlias

- ROSA NELL**—The color is a clear bright rose, and the flowers are very large, and is one of the best shaped decorative Dahlias grown. Good stems and habits. \$1.50 each.
- MILLIONAIRE**—Most delicate lavender with faint pink cast overshadowing it, the whole having a blending of white. Flowers from six to nine inches in diameter. \$1.25 each.
- PRIDE OF CALIFORNIA**—Called the "American Beauty" dahlia. Huge crimson red flowers produced on long straight stems. \$1.00 each.
- PAUL MICHAEL**—Immense bronze apricot, \$2.00.
- MRS. CARL SELBACH**—A mauve pink, with occasional blendings of white, the general impression being pink, \$1.25.
- MRS. I. de Van WARNER**—Soft orchid coloring, very large, \$2.00.
- WASHINGTON CITY**—Pure white, with long stems, \$1.00.
- YEL. MONS LE NORMAND**—Rich golden yellow, with occasional reddish marking. Largest and finest in color, \$1.00.
- FRAU GEHEIMRAT SCHEIFF**—Decorative Dahlia. An exquisite blending of apricot orange and yellow, with reverse of petals coral red. \$1.25.
- One each of above 9 for \$11.00.

Select Cactus Dahlias

The Cactus Dahlias have large, loosely formed, Chrysanthemum-like flowers. The long, narrow petals are variously rolled or twisted. The flowers, many of which nod on long, slender stems, are of the most artistic of all the Dahlias.

- IGNEA**—Bright crimson-scarlet. A very large and distinct variety. Perfect form. 50c. each.
- J. H. JACKSON**—Color, a perfectly gorgeous, deep velvety, blackish-maroon. Gigantic in size. 25 cents each.
- KRIEMHILDE**—Color, flesh delicate pink. 25 cents each.
- LIBELLE**—Clear, deep rose-purple. 25 cents each.
- PERLE DE LYON**—A pure white exhibition variety of great value. Petals fringed or nicked, giving unique appearance. 35 cent each.
- STERN**—Bright primrose-yellow. The flowers are large; petals long and pointed. 25 cents each.
- Above Six Dahlias for \$1.75.

Show Dahlias

The old-fashioned double Dahlia. Ball-shaped flowers; the petals quilled or tubular.

- MAUDE ADAMS**—The color is a pure snowy white, very effectively overlaid clear delicate pink. 50 cents each.
- MISS HELEN HOLLIS**—The best deep scarlet Show Dahlia in existence. Blossoms are on long, stiff stems. 50 cents each.
- QUEEN VICTORIA** or **MARY D. HALLOCK**—Canary yellow, very fine, 25 cents.
- STORM KING**—The most reliable pure white Show Dahlia to date. Flowers produced on good stems. 25 cents each.
- STRADELLA**—Beautiful deep purple-crimson. Exceptionally free-flowering. Stems long and wiry. 25 cents each.
- VIVIAN**—The color being white, effectively edged rose-violet. 25 cents each.
- The above 6 Show Dahlias for \$1.75.

Decorative Dahlias

The blossoms of the Decorative Dahlias are large, flat, but beautiful in shape, and full to the center; the petals are somewhat irregularly situated, long, broad, flat and nearly straight.

- FRANK A. WALKER**—A charming shade of deep lavender-pink. 35 cents each.
- MADONNA**—In color a very beautiful white, very slightly tinted with the most delicate shade of lavender-pink. 50 cents each.
- MINA BURGLE**—Color, a glowing and most brilliant scarlet. The flowers are of perfect Decorative type. 50 cents each.
- QUEEN MARY**—A large flower with full, rounded center. The color is a soft shade of pink. 35 cents each.
- WILHELM MILLER**—Very brilliant purple. This is a fine variety of the Decorative type. 25 cents each.
- Above Six Dahlias for \$2.25.



Frank A. Walker. One-half Actual Size

PEONY-FLOWERED DAHLIAS—A new type of Dahlia; flowers are semi-double, having two, three or more rows of broad, flat, loosely arranged petals, surrounding a rich golden-yellow center. Petals are often pointed, and sometimes twisted, and in some varieties the inner row of petals twists and curls over the center giving the appearance of a Peony, hence its name.

CARDINAL—A very large flower of a gorgeous maroon-purple. 50 cents each.

LATONA—An unusual blending of orange, buff and yellow. 50 cents each.

MRS. BOWEN TUFTS—Deep rosy-purple blossoms, which are produced well above the foliage upon long stems. 25 cents each.

MRS. GEORGE GORDON—A delicate creamy-white flower of large size. 25 cents each.

MME. VAN BYSTEIN—A very distinct and new shade, lilac-blue throughout. An early and abundant bloomer. 50 cents.

NEWPORT DANDY—A lilac-pink of the most delicate shade. The yellow center is open with the inner petals curling and twisting over it. 50 cents.

HYBRID SHOW (American Beauty)—Color, wine-crimson. 35 cents each.

AUGUST MEGAR (New)—The largest and finest shaped lavender-purple Show Dahlia, 50 cents.

YELLOW DUKE—A splendid primrose-yellow. 35 cents each.

Above Three Dahlias for \$1.10.

MIXED DAHLIAS—All colors and varieties. 15c each; \$1.50 per dozen, postpaid.

Single Dahlias

AUBRIGHT BEAUTY—A pure, waxy white variety. 25 cents.

ROSE PINK CENTURY—A rose pink shaded. 25 cents.

MAN FRIDAY—Deep maroon. 25 cents.

Pompon Dahlias

AMBER QUEEN—Rich, clear amber, shaded apricot. 25 cents.

LA PETITE BARBARA—White, nicked petals. 25 cents.

LITTLE JENNIE—Primrose yellow. 25 cents.

Above 6 Single and Pompon for \$1.25.

Collarette Dahlias

ACHIEVEMENT—The flower is a clear, rich velvety maroon; collarette, white. 25 cents.

DIRECTEUR RENE GERARD—Beautiful violet-purple, shaded and tipped white; white collarette. 25 cents.

MAURICE RIVOIRE—The flower is a gorgeous, rich crimson with pure white collarette. 25 cents.

SOUVENIR DE CHABANNE—Lemon-yellow with coral-red markings; collarette, lemon-yellow. 35 cents.

Above 4 Dahlias for \$1.00.



Dingee Gladioli

New and Rare Varieties

The following varieties are the choicest of the newer sorts. The beauty of the bloom must be seen to be appreciated.

Mrs. Frank Pendleton—In color a lovely salmony-pink with brilliant deep, red blotches in the throat.

Gretchen Zang—A most beautiful soft melting shade of pink, blending into deep salmon on the lower petals. Approaches the brilliant coloring of the Beate Poitevine Geranium.

Prince of Wales (The Gladiolus Beautiful)—The color is superb, a gorgeous clear grenadine-pink or glistening salmon with slight apricot reflections, melting to a throat of the sweetest yellow, the tips of petals shaded darker or apricot-buff.

Niagara—Cream and yellow; throat splashed carmine.

Panama—A seedling of the famous America, with the same splendid form and substance, but is a richer, deeper pink.

War—Flowers deep brilliant crimson, large size.

Peace—The large flowers are almost pure white; there is a trace of lilac on the lower petals.

Jane Dieulafoy—The Superb. A large, fine, creamy-white flower, with large salmon-maroon stains.

Schwaben—The Primrose. Delicate primrose with yellow and crimson center. Magnificent large flower and spike.

Pink Perfection—A soft apple blossom pink with chamois suffusion that is very attractive.

Price of New and Rare Varieties, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00

SPECIAL OFFER OF NEW VARIETIES

One each of the ten new and rare varieties, all labeled, sent postpaid, for \$1.50.

Dingee Summer Flowering Gladioli

Among the most popular summer-flowering bulbs, and of high decorative value, either in the garden or as a cut flower. All bulbs sent out by us are first class, sure to bloom. They should be planted in a sunny position about May 1.

12 Choicest Named Gladioli, \$1.25

Any 6 for 75c, postpaid.

Selected from hundreds of the best varieties. In size of flowers, blooming quality and diversity of color, none will compare with these.

America—The most beautiful variety in cultivation.

Soft flesh-pink, slightly tinged with lavender.

Chicago White—Pure white; lavender stripes on lower petals.

Attraction—Deep, dark crimson-pink, with large pure white center, free from mottling or spots, making a most conspicuous and attractive contrast.

Baron Hulot—Rich, royal violet-blue. This when cut in combination with one of the yellow varieties is truly exquisite.

Brenchleyensis—Bright scarlet-vermillion.

Halley—The Early Giant. Salmon-pink, immense.

Independence—Color varies from deep rose pink to orange-scarlet, but always brilliant and rich.

Crackerjack—Rich, velvety red.

Klondyke—A clear yellow, with a vivid crimson-maroon blotch in throat; a splendid free grower.

Mrs. Frances King—A striking shade of light scarlet or flame color; one of the most effective both in the border and when cut.

Princesps—Brilliant scarlet-crimson, with three broad white blotches on the lower petals.

Yellow Hammer—Pure yellow lightly marked with red in throat, very beautiful.

SPECIAL OFFER—The above collection of 12 choice varieties, blooming bulbs, all labeled, postpaid, for \$1.25; 2 of each, 24 in all, postpaid, for \$2.40; single varieties, 12½c each; \$1.25 per dozen.

Primulinus Hybrids—These hybrids, gained by crossing the species Primulinus with the larger varieties of the Gandavensis type, have retained all the daintiness and graceful form of their Primulinus parent even to the "hood" formed by the drooping of the upper petal, and have an added beauty of exquisite coloring, from the softest primrose to a beautiful rose. 50c per dozen.

Large Flowering Mixed Gladioli

White and light shades mixed, 50c per dozen.

Pink and Rose shades mixed, 50c per dozen.

Scarlet and Crimson shades mixed, 50c per dozen.

Yellow and Orange shades mixed, 70c per dozen.

Striped and Variegated mixed, 60c per dozen.

All Colors mixed, 45c per dozen; \$3.00 per 100.

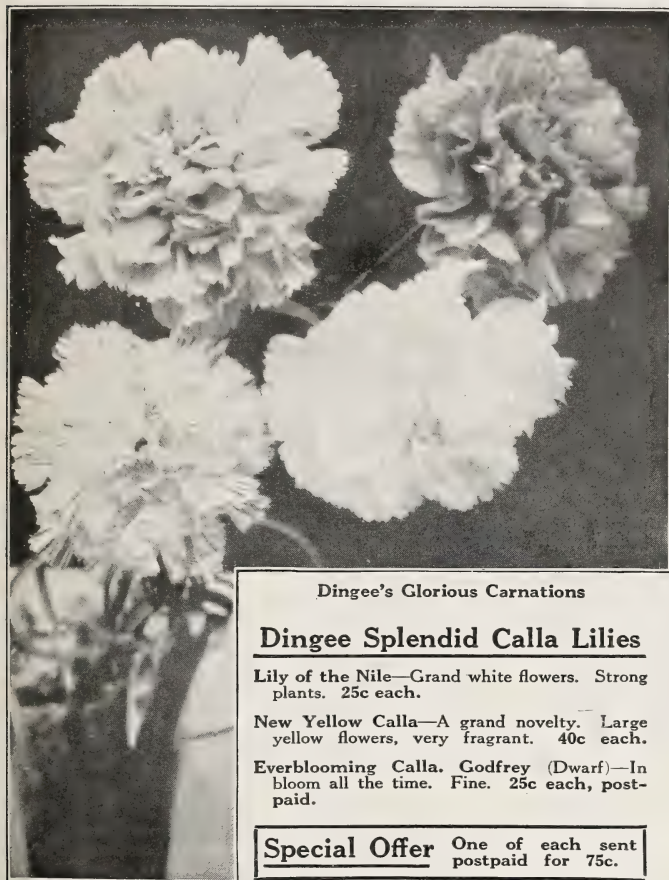
Dingee Excelsior Tuberoses

Dwarf Excelsior Pearl—Flowers pure white, very double, of immense size and sweetly scented. 5c each; 50c per dozen, postpaid.

Orange-Flowered—Bears single snow-white flowers, resembling orange blooms and delightfully fragrant. 5c each; 50c per dozen, postpaid.

Albino—Early bloomer, dwarf branching habit; flowers waxy white and single; very fragrant. 5c each; 50c per dozen.

Special Offer We send, postpaid, 6 Excelsior Pearl Tuberoses, 3 Orange-flowered and 3 New Variegated-Leaved—12 in all—for 50c.



Dingee's Glorious Carnations

Dingee Splendid Calla Lilies

Lily of the Nile—Grand white flowers. Strong plants. 25c each.

New Yellow Calla—A grand novelty. Large yellow flowers, very fragrant. 40c each.

Everblooming Calla. Godfrey (Dwarf)—In bloom all the time. Fine. 25c each, postpaid.

Special Offer One of each sent postpaid for 75c.

Free-Blooming Fuchsias

Strong plants, sure to bloom, 20c each; 3 for 50c, postpaid

Speciosa—Scarlet and white.
Trophy—Purple; extra long.
Duke of Albany—Violet-purple; drooping.
Constancy—Carmine and white; extra large.
Mrs. C. Blanc—Magenta-purple; trailing.
Lovely—Rose mauve and scarlet; large.
Jupiter—Rich carmine; extra yellow foliage; large; double.
Wave of Life—Crimson tube; royal purple corolla. Abundant bloomer.
Phenomenal—Finest, free blooming, double; petals of bright crimson corolla purple.

Pot Hydrangeas

Excellent for pot culture for blooming indoors during the winter. The foliage keeps dark green throughout the winter, making them an ideal decorative plant. They can also be planted outdoors, as they are hardy and live out over winter.

Otaksa—Rich pink, changing to snow-white and blue.

Avalanche—Large corymbs of pure white flowers.

General de Vibraye—Very large heads of bright rose.

Price, 25c each; five for \$1.00, postpaid; large specimen plants from 4 to 6 inch pots, 75c each by express.

Rubber Plant-Ficus Elastica

Will flourish under the most unfavorable conditions, and responds most readily to good treatment. Its thick, glossy foliage is exceedingly attractive and free from insect pests. Strong plants, 12 to 15 inches high, \$1.00 each, postpaid.

Dingee Magnificent Carnations

We offer strong plants, and whether planted in the open ground or in pots, they quickly make large specimens, blooming profusely during the summer. For winter blooming pinch the plants back from time to time during the summer. Bring indoors in early fall. Grown in pots they will bloom abundantly during the winter.

New Varieties

Alma Ward—New white variegated; large and fragrant.

Aviator—The best standard crimson on the market.

Mrs. C. W. Ward—Deep pink.

Miss Theo.—Deeper pink than Enchantress.

Matchless—Clear, brilliant white; fine form and very large. Highly scented. Delightful.

White Wonder—A truly wonderful white flower of immense size.

Standard Varieties

Apple Blossom—Handsome white flower daintily marked pink.

Beacon—Dazzling scarlet; very large and full.

Boston Market—Standard white.

Enchantress—Brilliant pink; fine shade; large size.

Victory—Brilliant red, extra large flowers and particularly free in bloom.

White Enchantress—Magnificent large white flower of splendid form.

Price, strong pot plants, 15c each; any 6 for 75c; 12 for \$1.50, postpaid.

Special Offer "Novelty Set." For \$1.50 we will send, postpaid, 6 of the new and 6 of the Standard Varieties, 12 in all. Order as the "Novelty Set."

Dingee Palms

ARECA LUTESCENS—Trunk and stem, golden green. Strong plants, 6 to 8 inches high, 25c each; 3 for 60c, postpaid.

COCOS WEDDELIANA—The daintiest of all Palms. Strong plants, 3-inch pots, 50c.

KENTIAS—The grandest of all Palms. Kentia Belmoreana is the tallest grower, while Kentia Forsteriana has the broadest leaves. Strong plants, 25c each, postpaid.

LATANIA BORBONICA—Divided, fan-shaped leaves. Strong plants, 25c each, postpaid.

DRACAENA INDIVISA—Long, variegated leaves. 15c each; 9 for \$1.00.

PHOENIX CARRIENSIS—Date Palm. 30c each.

Strawberry Guava

It has thick, shining, evergreen, camelia-like foliage, and pure white flowers of an agreeable odor. The fruit is large, of beautiful claret color; the flavor is most delicious and aromatic, resembling that of the strawberry. Used as a dessert fruit, also for preserving. Makes jelly of delicious quality. Strong, 3-inch pot plants, 20c each; 3 for 50c; 7 for \$1.00.

Hibiscus Sinensis

A beautiful class of plants with handsome, glossy foliage and brilliant showy colors.

All varieties, 20c each; 6 for \$1.00.

Versicolor—Striped crimson, buff, rose.

Cooperli Tricolor—Foliage variegated, crimson flowers.

Miniatur Semi-plenus—Semi-double; scarlet.

Peachblow—Flowers pink and crimson.



Single and Double Violets

German Iris

The memory of the "Blue Flag" of the old-time gardens is one ever sweet to those whose lives were lived in such surroundings, and while the "modern" Irises, if we may use the term, will remind one of the old days, they, too, like everything else of these days, have yielded to the influence of improvement, and there has been evolved a race of flowers absolutely bewildering in glory of their form and color.

Canary Bird (Flavescens)—Lovely pale yellow.

Darius—Yellow and lilac.

Honorabilis—Deep yellow; mahogany falls.

Florentina Alba (Silver King)—Early white.

Ingeborg (Interregna)—Immense white; extra early.

Mrs. H. Darwin—White, violet veining, rather dwarf.

Lohengrin—Foliage and flowers immense, of a deep violet mauve, almost pink; a wonderful flower.

Queen of May (Rosy Morn)—Lovely rose lilac.

Madame Thibault—White, bordered rose lilac companion to Mad. Chereau; edge more pinkish.

Cherion—Standard lilac-mauve; falls violet-mauve.

Price, strong field grown roots 15c each; 9 for \$1.00, postpaid.

OUR AUTUMN EDITION

of our New Guide to Rose Culture, ready about Sept. 1st, will be sent to all customers and others upon request.

Dingee Hardy Violets

Rich in modest beauty and famed for its enchanting fragrance, the Violet continues to increase in popularity. With the last snows of winter still about it this gentle flower shyly appears from out of its icy bed, heralding the coming of spring. All our plants are absolutely clean and healthy and will produce highly satisfactory results.

Prices, strong plants, 12½c each; any 12 for \$1.25. Larger plants 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid. If 100 plants are wanted ask for prices.

Marie Lynch—In color it is a charming shade of lavender-pink and the foliage is rich dark green.

California—The largest violet in cultivation. Rich, violet-blue; flowers on long stems.

Farquhar—Double flowers of delicate fragrance; deep blue.

Governor Herrick—Rich, dark purple; single.

Lady Hume Campbell—Double blue. Strong, healthy and perfectly hardy.

Prince of Wales—One of the best. The large, blue, single flowers are deliciously fragrant.

Swanley White—Pure white, perfectly double, fragrant flowers.

Peacock, New Violet—This is an entrancingly beautiful new Violet; the markings of its charming color are difficult to describe. The prevailing color in white, with delicate tracings and markings of sky-blue.

Hardy Perennials

Yucca Filamentosa—**Spanish Bayonet**—A low-growing evergreen plant with narrow leaves. The flower stalk is from 2 to 4 feet high and rises from the center. Creamy white, bell-shaped flowers. 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

FUNKIA (Day Lily) **Subcordata Grandiflora**—White Day Lily. Handsome spikes of large, waxy-like blossoms, with an odor like that of orange blossoms, and large, broad, glossy, light-green foliage. One foot to 18 inches. 25c each.

Funkia Aurea Variegata—Flowers purplish-lilac; leaves beautiful variegated green and gold. 2 feet. 25c each.

BLEEDING HEART (*Dicentra Spectabilis*)—One of the finest plants known for borders, pots or for planting in any sunny situation. If potted in November and left outside until it has formed new roots and then is brought into gentle heat, it will flower early in March. The beautiful rose-colored flowers are produced in great abundance and are heart shaped. When planted in the open ground it flowers in April and May. Absolutely hardy. Strong, dormant roots. 75c each, postpaid.

DELPHINIUM (*Belladonna*)—Everblooming hardy Larkspur. The most beautiful sky blue of dwarf habit. 3 to 4 feet. Blooms all summer until cut down by frost. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Formosum—Deep gentian blue with white bee. Long spikes. 18 inches to 2 feet. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

Chinese Album—A white flowered form. 2 feet. 25c each, 5 for \$1.00, postpaid.

RUBECKIA, GOLDEN GLOW—Grows 6 to 8 feet high, branching freely and bearing by the hundreds on long, graceful stems exquisite double flowers of golden yellow. 25c each, postpaid.



A Bed of German Iris



Dingee Hardy Peonies

Of all the flowers in the Hardy Garden the Peony is easily recognized as the Queen—in fact, it vies with the Rose for the title in many ways, for while in bloom it is without question the most glorious object in the garden. Once Peonies are planted they last for a life time. They stand the severest winters without the slightest protection. Especially fine for single specimens and cemetery planting. After blooming their charm lies in the beauty of the foliage, for even when not in bloom the Peony plant is decorative in the extreme and well worthy of a prominent place in the garden.

We offer only the cream of the many hundred varieties. Don't buy the cheap kinds. They require just as much care, but don't produce the blooms.

New and Rare Peonies

Sarah Bernhardt—Strong grower. Flowers remarkable size, full and double. Large petals that are imbricated, twisted and fimbriated. Color apple blossom-pink with each petal silver tipped; fragrance excellent. Magnificent. Price, \$3.00 each.

"Lord Kitchener"—One of the latest and the best introductions of Peonies today. Color a brilliant scarlet. Great producer making a grand display. Double, early. Price, \$2.00 each.

Standard Varieties

Price, strong roots, 75c each, except where noted; \$7.50 per dozen.

Caroline Allen—Double. Rose and Salmon.

Candidissima—Double. Creamy white.

Canary—Double. White primrose center, late.

Charlemagne—Lilac, white slight blush center. Double.

Duchesse de Nemours—Sulphur-white, changing to pure-white. Particularly beautiful in the half-open bud state. Double, late.

Duke of Wellington—Sulphur-white. Double, late.

Eduis Superba—Double. Early. Beautiful brilliant pink.

Faust—Delicate light pink; double, late.

Felix Crousse—Brilliant red. Extra fine. Double, midseason.

Festiva Maxima—White center, flaked red. Double, early.

Festiva Alba—Cream-white, red spots. Double late.

Francois Ortegat—Deep crimson. Double.

Humei—Cherry pink. Highly cinnamon scented.

Humei Carnea—Clear flesh tinged rose.

Insignis—Carmine rose. Very fragrant.

Jeanne D'Arc—Pure white. Early, double.

L'Eclatante—Double. Crimson red.

Louis Van Houtte—Velvety red. Double, late.

Lady Bramwell—Pink and rose. Double, midseason.

Louis Parmentier—Double. Bright red.

Modeste Guerin—Deep rose. Double, midseason.

Marechal Valliant—Double. Mauve pink.

Nobilissima—Dark violet red.

Rosea Elegans—Soft rose. Double.

Rubens—Dark crimson. Double, midseason.

Rubra Triumphante—Purplish crimson.

Triumph Du Nord—Light red.



Dingee Peony

Hardy Japan Lilies

These glorious flowers of radiant beauty are very hardy, grow rapidly and vigorously, and survive from year to year, forming a permanent and attractive feature of the garden. The bulbs should be planted about 6 to 8 inches deep, in good, light soil. We offer the most carefully selected sorts in large sound bulbs.

AURATUM—Magnificent pure white flowers, exquisitely spotted with rose, and rayed and banded with yellow. Valuable for pot or garden. Extra-selected enormous bulbs, 30c each; four for \$1.00.

SPECIOSUM or LANCIFOLIUM—The most satisfactory of all lilies. We offer the best varieties as follows:

S. Album—Pure white. 25c each.

S. Melpomene—Frosted white, spotted, with pinkish crimson. Petals deeply recurved and widely bordered. 25c.

S. Rubrum—Bright crimson and white flowers; grows 2 to 3 feet. 25c each.

S. Magnificum—Deep colored flowers of rich carmine-crimson spotted blood-red edged with white. 25c each.

TIGRINUM FL. PL. (Double Tiger Lily)—Deep fiery red, spotted with black. 25c each.

TIGRINUM SPLENDENS (Single Tiger Lily)—Orange with intense dark spots. 25c each.

GIGANTEUM—Cream-white with purple throat. Gigantic plants and immense flowers. 25c each.

HENRYI—The color a rich apricot-yellow, lightly spotted with brown. 60c each.

CANDIDUM (Annunciation or Madonna Lily)—Garden Lily. Large white flowers. 25c each.

PARDALIUM (Leopard Lily)—From California; entirely hardy; bright orange-red, with lighter orange center. Large clusters, 20c each.

HUMBOLDTI—Golden yellow, spotted purple. 40c each.

WASHINGTONIANUM—Delicately tinted, white spotted. 40c.

Dingee Choicest Hardy Perennial Phlox

Diversified and brilliant colors, profuse and continuous bloom and adaptability to almost any situation or soil, place Hardy Phlox in the front rank of desirable flowering plants. Being perfectly hardy, once planted they improve and multiply in vigor and beauty each successive year. Price, strong pot plants ready to plant any time, 20c each; any three for 50c.

Diadem—Dwarf; pure white.

Eclaireur—Purplish-crimson; large.

White Eclaireur—Large; pure white.

Fernand Cortez—Tall; deep crimson.

G. A. Stephen—Brilliant scarlet.

Iris—Tall; blush-violet.

Tapis Blanc—Dwarf; pure white.

Terre Neuve—Dwarf; grayish-lilac.

Brilliant—Clear blood-red.

L'Aiglon—Carmine-rose.

Mount Sully—Orange-scarlet, purple eye.

Mrs. Jenkins—Pure white.

Coquelicot—Pure scarlet with crimson eye. Fine.

Perle Rose—Rose-purple.

Selma—Tall; pale rose.

Suffrage—Lilac-mauve, rosy center.



Everblooming Hydrangea—(Arborescens Grandiflora)

Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora

The New Everblooming Hydrangea is, as its name implies, constantly in bloom from early in June until frost, and is one of the most important additions in the way of hardy shrubs ever introduced. All summer long it bears great clusters of white flowers, much like the tender Hydrangea in size and form; it will grow to perfection in partial shade, making it most valuable for massing under trees or growing on north side of house. Handsome bright green foliage.

Price, strong, vigorous plants, well rooted, 35 cts. each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; larger, field-grown plants, with several branches, fine roots, 75 cts. each; \$7.50 doz., postpaid. Extra heavy 3 ft. plants \$1.00 by express.

Lilacs (Syringa)

Best beloved of all the old-time garden shrubs, whose flowers never fail to charm with their delicate beauty or refresh with their tender fragrance.

NEW PERSIAN*—Blooms in early June. Flowers beautiful reddish purple, very fragrant and borne in profusion; leaves rich, dark green, rather small and delicately shaded.

WHITE—This rare and beautiful White Lilac is much sought after.

PURPLE—The old favorite. **Price, in strong two-year-old-plants, only 75c each.**

Althea-Rose of Sharon

The flowers are brilliant and striking in color, 9 to 12 feet high when matured. Blooms during August and September.

Alba Plena—Large, double pure white.

Blanche—The nearest pure white of any.

Double Purple—Deep reddish purple.

Peoniflora—Double cherry red.

Price of all hardy shrubs, except where otherwise noted; one-year-old size, 25c each; any 5 for \$1.00; two-year-old size, 75c each; \$7.50 dozen; three-year-old size, 95c each; by freight or express at the purchaser's expense.

Hardy Shrubs for Permanent Planting

They are absolutely hardy, and, once planted, last indefinitely, increasing in size and beauty year after year. For cold climate where hardy plants are needed they stand without an equal. Planted in clumps, masses or used for hedges, screens, or for filling unsightly corners, they make a glorious show. They supply that certain something which is lacking in every yard where shrubbery is not planted. We recommend a liberal planting of this class of plants. They last a lifetime and are sure to give splendid satisfaction. Their culture is exceedingly simple. When received cut the plants back about one-third their growth if not done before shipping. Set about three feet apart for a screen, but as individual specimens plant wherever desired. Water freely when planted, and for a few days afterward. No protection required. They may be planted as soon as ground is ready to dig up until late spring. This class of plants should be set out earlier than Roses and other pot plants, so if your order contains some of them we will send the different varieties at the proper season.

Some varieties, such as Hydrangea, Snowball, Weigela, Deutzias, require pruning in early spring before new growth starts. Here with us it is done in late February or early March each season.

Hydrangea paniculata (grandiflora)

We grow and sell annually many thousands of these most popular of all shrubs. They are extensively used for yard, lawn and hedge planting and for screens. Attains a height of 5 to 7 feet; hardy in all localities; blooms the first and every season in July and August, and continues in bloom for two or three months; the flowers are massive, cone-shaped, often measuring 10 inches in length, and have a pleasing variation of color, changing from original pure white to pink, and finally to beautiful, rich, coppery-red. Well-rooted, field grown plants that will bloom this year.

Prices, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; strong, two-year-old, field-grown, blooming plants, 75c each; \$7.50 dozen; extra-size, three-year-old, field-grown, blooming plants, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per dozen, by express or freight.

Hibiscus Meehan's Marvel Mallow

They make a bush-like growth from 4 to 5 feet high and 2 to 3 feet across. The flowers are of enormous size, frequently 8 to 10 inches in diameter and ranging in color from fiery crimson through various shades of red, pink and white. **Price, mixed colors, Pink, Red or White, strong two-year-old field-grown roots, 75c each.**



Hydrangea paniculata grandiflora



HARDY SHRUBS—Continued

Double Japan Snowball

(VIBURNUM PLICATUM)

Blooms in early June, when the whole bush is loaded down with great, compact balls of pure white, double flowers. They are borne in such profusion that the entire plant appears one dense mass of bloom; the tree grows erect and bushy, 6 to 8 feet high, with deep green leaves peculiarly crimped and crinkled. Wondrously beautiful. Price, all field-grown plants, one-year size, 35c each, 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year size, 75c each; three-year size, \$1.00 each, by freight or express.

VIBURNUM OPULUS STERILIS (Old-fashioned Snowball)—A strong, hardy grower; pure white flowers. A showy class of shrubs of compact growth, luxuriant foliage and very free flowering.

Philadelphus or Syringa

“MOCK ORANGE”

BOUQUET BLANC—Dwarf growth with long slender branches densely covered from base to top with sweet-scented double flowers of creamy-white. In fact the flowers are borne in such great profusion as to totally obscure the plant. Spicy fragrance. Two-year field-grown plants, 75 cts. each, postpaid.

NEW PHILADELPHUS (“Virginal”)—One of the most beautiful, new ever-blooming varieties. This is the new Philadelphus which is being used so much in hedge planting. It also makes wonderful individual specimen plants on the lawn. A vigorous tall grower with very large double-crested flowers with round petals. Pure white, sweetly scented; clusters of five to seven. Two-year field-grown plants, 75c each, postpaid.

Deutzia

Crenata—4 to 6 feet; double white rose.
Fortunei—4 to 6 feet; pure white.
Gracilis—2 to 2½ feet. Drooping, white.
Pride of Rochester—Pure white, bluish.
Lemoninei—New, Immense. Purest white.



Spirea-Meadow Sweet

Aurea (Golden Leaved)—Bright golden yellow foliage, white flowers.
Billardi—Spikes of rose-colored flowers; blooms profusely.
Prunifolia (Bridal Wreath)—Double pure white flowers.
Thunbergi—Blooms in April; compact, fern-like leaves; flowers borne in clusters.
Van Houtte—The bushes form fine, compact clumps. The pure white flowers are borne in great masses.
Perpetual Blooming Crimson Spirea, Anthony Waterer—It makes a low compact bush. 15 to 18 inches high. Large umbels of deep crimson flowers.

Weigela

Candida—Snow-white flowers; late June.
Lavellei—Deep red flowers, beautiful.
Rosea—Flowers are large and of a deep rose.
Variegated Leaf—Green leaves, pure white.
Eva Rathke—Rich reddish purple.
Rubra—Red, shading to light pink.

Miscellaneous Shrubs

CALYCANTHUS FLORIDUS (Carolina Allspice)—Flowers purple; quite double, exquisitely fragrant and borne in profusion during the entire season.
FORSYTHIA Viridissima (Golden Bell)—Height, 3 to 4 feet; bright yellow, bell-shaped flowers; blooms early.
PHILADELPHUS Grandiflora (Mock Orange)—Blooms early in June, flowers creamy white and very fragrant.
TAMARIX AFRICANA (African Tamarisk)—Graceful, erect growing shrub, pretty pink flowers, leaves like evergreen.
HONEYSUCKLE BUSH (Lonicera tatarica)—Grows 6 to 10 feet, and blooms early in the spring. An old-fashioned shrub, with sturdy, oak-like habit, good foliage, especially useful for screens and masses. Profusion of lovely white flowers in May and June, followed by translucent berries.

The Dingee & Conard Co., April 1, 1925.
West Grove, Penna.

Gentlemen:—

I am enclosing my check in the amount \$13.50 to cover order for Roses.

For your information, I have Rose bushes in my garden that I bought from you 25 years ago. They still bloom beautifully. I hope the new ones last as long.

Thanking you for your prompt attention, I am
Very truly yours,
Mary L. Seaman, New York.

Price of all plants on this page, except where noted; One-year-old size, 35c each; any 3 for \$1.00, postpaid; two-year-old size, 75c each; \$7.50 dozen, by freight or express; three-year-old size, \$1.00 each, by freight or express at purchaser's expense.



Spirea Van Houtte



California Privet

The One Best Hedge Plant, Combining Beauty, Hardiness and Efficiency.

California Privet has long been recognized as the one very best plant for Hedge purposes, as it is remarkable for its beautiful dark green, glossy foliage, its quick, strong and symmetrical growth, its freedom from insects and scale, and its ability to withstand pruning and trimming into any desired shape.

For many years we have made a specialty of growing California Privet for Hedges, and our stock cannot be surpassed anywhere. It is strong, thrifty and in the best of shape for transplanting. Each one a specimen plant. We have it in all sizes, from one-year-old plants to large, vigorous bushes which can be used with telling effect in the formation of an immediate hedge. These large plants are the most economical to buy, for with them the tedious years of waiting for the hedge to grow will be avoided.

First size, 12 to 14 inches, 10c each; 6 for 50c, postpaid; \$5.00 per 100, by express. Second size, 2 to 3 feet, 15c each postpaid; \$8.00 per 100, by express or freight at purchaser's expense. (Orders for 50 filled at 100 rates.)

AMOR RIVER PRIVET (North)—Similar in habit to California, but with dark, lustrous foliage and more upright habit of growth. Hardy anywhere. Price, first size plants, 12 inches in height, 10c each; \$1.00 per dozen, postpaid; \$6.00 per 100, by express, collect; larger two-year-old plants, 2 to 3 feet, 25c each postpaid; \$12.00 per 100, by express collect.

BERBERIS THUNBERGI (Barberry)—Grows 3 to 4 feet high; small, perfectly shaped, rich green leaves, turning in autumn to bright scarlet. Flowers a delicate shade of coppery yellow, followed by beautiful, brilliant red berries, clinging all winter. Price, first size plants, 8 to 12-inch, 15c each; 9 for \$1.00; \$10.00 per 100, by express; larger plants, 18 to 24 inches, 75c each by parcel post prepaid; \$7.50 doz.; \$25.00 per 100, by express or freight.

Hardy Ornamental Grass

For ornamental purposes these grasses are strikingly original in effect and impart a tropical brilliance to the landscape. The plumes which these grasses produce are beautiful for exterior decoration.

Prices of all Eulalias and Erianthus described below, 25c each; 5 for \$1.00.

Eulalia Gracillima Univittata—Forms an exceedingly handsome plant. 4 to 5 feet high.

E. Japonica Zebrina—The leaf blades are of deep green, distinctly striped crosswise, with large bars of pure white.

E. Japonica Variegata—Blades are creamy white in the center, with a broad margin of bright green. Plumes are very beautiful.

Erianthus Ravennae—Reed-like ornamental grass throwing up 30 to 40 fine erect flowerlike stalks 8 to 10 feet high in the first season. The plumes are highly valued as parlor ornaments.

SPECIAL OFFER—We will send by mail one each of the four grand ornamental grasses described above for 80c. postpaid.



D. & C. Special Rose Fertilizer

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Clematis Paniculata

The Most Wonderful of All Flowering Vines—Quick Grower, Exquisite Fragrance

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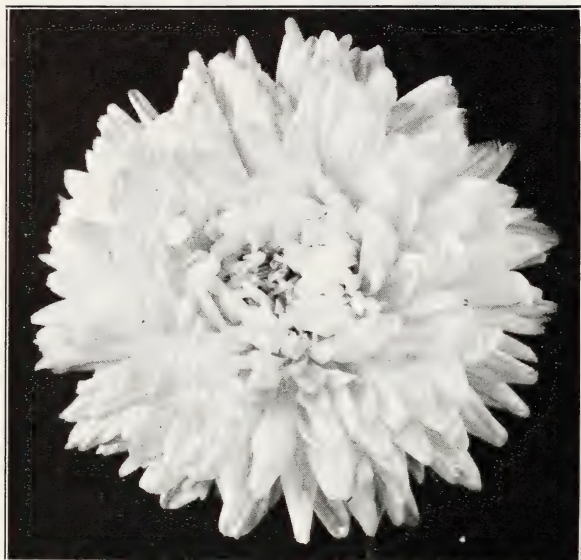
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Price of Standard Varieties: Pkt., 5c; 6 for 25c; oz., 25c.

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- Othello**—Deep maroon.
- Prima Donna**—Pale soft pink. Flowers large.
- Blanche Ferry**—Popular pink and white. Extra early.
- Earliest of All**—Bright rose-pink, wings creamy-white.
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Yellow—Golden yellow.
King Theodore—Rich red.
King of Tom Thumb—Deep scarlet.
Pearl—Whitish.
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The Most Wonderful Bush Rose in the World

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It is always blooming, whether it is growing for us or growing for you. The flowers are beautiful beyond description, immense in size, deep, double and grandly formed. It is hardy everywhere.

The Charles Dingee Rose is the result of cross-breeding between *Hermosa*, that grand old hardy pink variety, and *White Maman Cochet*, perhaps the greatest of all white garden Roses—a superb parentage, which insures its offspring every point of excellence. With the hardy, vigorous constitution

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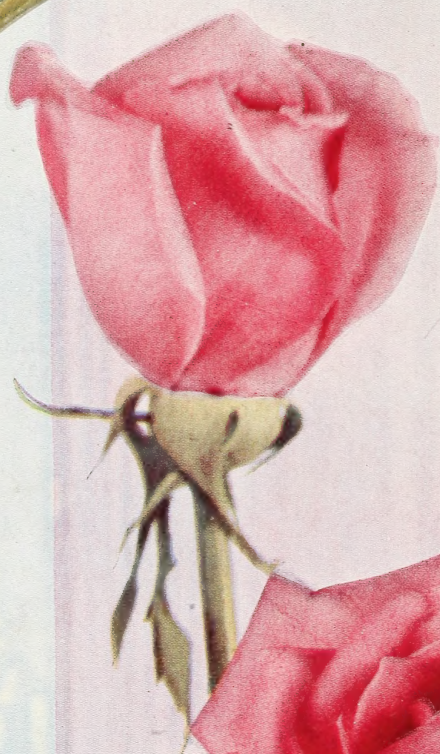
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